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### 1. Citation

These regulations may be cited as the *Firearms Regulations* 1974, and shall come into operation on the day on which the *Firearms Act* 1973 comes into operation.

### 2. Terms used

(1) In these regulations, unless the contrary intention appears — *Act* means the *Firearms Act 1973*;

*calibre* has a meaning affected by subregulation (2); *category* means a category referred to in regulation 6A;

*current firearm serviceability certificate* means a firearm serviceability certificate provided under regulation 25A(2) that is current;

fee means the applicable fee in Schedule 1A;

*firearms safety test* means a written test, approved by the Commissioner, about the *Firearms Act 1973* and firearm safety;

*Form*, if followed by a number, means the form of that number in Schedule 1, completed in accordance with these regulations.

(2) A reference in these regulations to a specific calibre is a reference to the calibre in inches, unless the contrary intention appears.

[Regulation 2 inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6795; amended: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5725-6; 6 Nov 2009 p. 4417-18; 31 Aug 2010 p. 4184.]

# 2A. Prescribed paintball guns and paintball pellets (Act s. 4, 8(1), 11A(2) and 19AA(2))

- (1) For the purposes of the definition of *paintball* in section 4 of the Act, and sections 8(1)(ma), 11A(2)(da) and 19AA(2) of the Act, a prescribed paintball gun is a paintball gun—
  - (a) with a calibre of not less than 0.4 and not more than 0.68; and
  - (b) that fires a paintball at a velocity of not more than 91.44 metres per second; and
  - (c) that is a single shot pump action or semi-automatic,

except one that has the appearance of a handgun or any firearm listed in the Table to regulation 26.

- (2) For the purposes of the definition of *paintball* in section 4 of the Act, and section 8(1)(ma) and (mb) of the Act, prescribed paintball pellets are gelatine capsules that
  - (a) have a diameter of not less than 10 mm and not more than 17.27 mm; and
  - (b) are filled with a water-soluble marking dye of any colour except red or brown.

[Regulation 2A inserted: Gazette 24 Dec 2004 p. 6267-8; amended: SL 2022/40 r. 4.]

### 2B. Prescribed amount of money (Act s. 19(1ab))

For the purposes of section 19(1ab)(a)(ii) of the Act the prescribed amount of money is \$3 000.

[Regulation 2B inserted: Gazette 24 Dec 2004 p. 6268.]

### **3.** Forms (Sch. 1)

The forms prescribed for the purposes of the *Firearms Act 1973* and these regulations are set out in Schedule 1.

[Regulation 3 amended: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6795; 16 Nov 2007 p. 5726.]

#### 3A. Applying for licence or permit

- (1) To apply for a licence or the renewal of a licence under the Act, a person must —
  - (a) submit an application in the applicable form in Schedule 1 in accordance with regulation 7; and
  - pay the fee for that licence or renewal; and (b)
  - (c) if under regulation 7A(1b) or (1c) the person is to be taken to have applied for the issue of an extract of licence, pay the fee for the issue of that extract of licence.
- (2A) The Commissioner may refund part or all of a fee paid under subregulation (1)(b) if the application is unsuccessful.
  - To apply for a permit or the renewal of a permit under (2) section 17 of the Act, a person must
    - submit an application in the form of Form 6 in accordance with regulation 7; and
    - (b) if the permit is granted, pay the fee.
  - (3) The Commissioner may waive the fee payable under subregulation (2) if satisfied it is in the public interest to do so.
  - (4) To apply for a permit under section 17A of the Act, the applicant must submit an application in the form of Form 6 in accordance with regulation 7.
  - To apply for a permit under the Act, other than under section 17 (5) or 17A of the Act, a person must submit a written application in accordance with regulation 7.

[Regulation 3A inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5726-7; amended: Gazette 6 Nov 2009 p. 4418.]

#### 3BA. Alternative application procedure for certain licences

(1) In this regulation application means an application made under this regulation.

- (2) Subject to subregulations (3), (4) and (5), a person may apply under this regulation (instead of under regulation 3A) for a licence if
  - (a) the licence sought is a firearm licence, a firearm collector's licence or an ammunition collector's licence; and
  - (b) the person previously held a licence (the *previous licence*) of that kind; and
  - (c) the previous licence last expired under section 9A of the Act during the period beginning on 31 May 2008 and ending on 16 May 2011; and
  - (d) the person failed to renew the previous licence after it last expired; and
  - (e) the Commissioner did not, during the period referred to in paragraph (c), serve the person with a notice under section 19A(2) of the Act in respect of that failure to renew; and
  - (f) the previous licence has been expired for more than 12 months.
- (3) An application for a firearm licence or firearm collector's licence cannot be made in respect of a firearm that, on the day on which the previous licence last expired, was not named and identified in the previous licence.
- (4) An application for an ammunition collector's licence cannot be made in respect of a quantity of ammunition exceeding the quantity (if any) that, on the day on which the previous licence last expired, was specified in the previous licence.
- (5) An application cannot be made after 90 days after the day on which the *Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2011* regulation 4 comes into operation.
- (6) Regulation 7(1) and (3) do not apply to an application.

- (7) An application must be sent by post, or delivered, to the Western Australia Police Licensing Enforcement Division, 297 Hay Street, East Perth, Western Australia 6004.
- (8) An application must
  - (a) be in the form of Form 2A; and
  - (b) be accompanied by
    - (i) the fee in Schedule 1A item 1(a), 2(a) or 8(a) (as the case requires); and
    - (ii) if under regulation 7A(1b) the applicant is also to be taken to have applied for the issue of an extract of licence the fee in Schedule 1A item 10.
- (9) The Commissioner may refund all or part of a fee paid under subregulation (8) if an application is unsuccessful.
- (10) To avoid doubt, regulation 3A does not apply to an application. [Regulation 3BA inserted: Gazette 5 Jul 2011 p. 2826-7.]

### 3B. Licences and permits, issue and renewal of

- (1) The prescribed form of a licence or permit issued under the Act is the applicable form in Schedule 1.
- (2) If
  - (a) a person holds a firearm licence, a firearm collector's licence or a corporate licence; and
  - (b) applies for the same licence but for an additional firearm; and
  - (c) a licence is issued for the additional firearm,

the licence for the additional firearm forms part of the original licence and expires on the same date as the original licence.

(3) A licence is not renewable as of right.

- (4) The Commissioner may treat an application for the renewal of a licence as an application for the grant of a licence and, in particular, may require the applicant to produce a current firearm serviceability certificate for the firearm.
- (5) The fee prescribed for the renewal of a licence is subject to apportionment under section 18(4) of the Act as if it were payable for the issue of the licence.

[Regulation 3B inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5727; amended: Gazette 6 Nov 2009 p. 4418.]

### 4. Licences and permits, notices of renewal for

- (1) The Commissioner may, within 28 days of the expiry of a licence or a permit under section 17 of the Act, send a notice to the holder of the licence or permit inviting him or her to renew it by paying the fee for that renewal at a place approved by the Commissioner.
- (2) If the holder pays the fee in accordance with the notice
  - (a) the holder is to be taken to have applied for the renewal under regulation 3A; and
  - (b) the licence or permit is taken to have been renewed.

[Regulation 4 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5728; amended: Gazette 23 Apr 2010 p. 1524.]

### 4A. Ammunition excluded from ammunition collector's licence

An ammunition collector's licence does not apply to ammunition specified in the Table to regulation 26.

[Regulation 4A inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6797.]

[5. Deleted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5728.]

## 6. Licences and permits — restrictions, limitations and conditions

- [(1) deleted]
- (2) Where a notation of the kind set out in column one of the Table hereunder is endorsed on a licence or permit, that licence or permit is subject to the restriction, limitation or condition specified in relation thereto in the second column of that Table.

Notation	Restriction, limitation or condition
CP	Club purposes only.
AU	Approved club activities only.
RR	Rifle range use only.
HR	Handgun range use only.
AP	For use as approved only.
SK	Held in safe keeping.

- (3) Where the term "approved" is used in relation to any notation or to any activity, use or other thing it shall be taken as a reference to the approval of the Commissioner expressed in writing and communicated to the applicant, or, where the terms of the approval are varied subsequent to the issue or grant of the licence, permit or approval, to those terms as so varied in writing.
- (4) Where a restriction, limitation or condition is imposed on the grant or renewal of a licence, permit or approval and no notation is endorsed the provisions of the restriction, limitation or condition shall be specified either on that licence, permit or approval or in a separate document specified on that licence, permit or approval.

[Regulation 6 amended: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6797.]

### 6A. Categories of firearms (Sch. 3)

(1) For the purposes of these regulations a firearm is of the category indicated in Schedule 3.

- If Schedule 3 specifies a genuine need test for a particular (2) category of firearms
  - an approval or permit cannot be granted and a licence (a) cannot be issued to a person unless the Commissioner is satisfied that the person has a genuine need to acquire or possess a firearm of that category; and
  - a person cannot be considered to have a genuine need to (b) acquire or possess a firearm of that category unless the test specified in Schedule 3 is satisfied.
- The genuine need test specified in Schedule 3 for a firearm of (3) category D prevents an approval or permit from being granted, or a licence from being issued, for the purposes of a firearm of that category forming part of a genuine firearm collection but a genuine need test specified for any other category of firearm does not prevent the Commissioner from being satisfied that a person has a genuine need to acquire or possess a firearm of that other category for the purposes of the firearm forming part of a genuine firearm collection.
- (4) If, for a particular category of firearms, Schedule 3 specifies any restriction on the grant of an approval or permit or the issue of a licence, an approval or permit cannot be granted and a licence cannot be issued except in accordance with that restriction.

[Regulation 6A inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6797-8; amended: Gazette 12 Aug 2003 p. 3665.]

6B. Kinds of firearms for penalties (Act s. 19(1))

> Each category of firearms is a separate kind of firearms for the purposes of the penalty provisions of section 19(1) of the Act. [Regulation 6B inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6798.]

#### 6C. Terms used

(1) In this regulation —

*relevant financial interest*, in relation to a business, means —

any interest in the capital or assets of the business; or

(b) any entitlement to receive any income derived from the business, whether the entitlement arises at law or in equity or otherwise;

**relevant position**, in relation to a business, means a position whose holder participates in the management of the business (whether in the capacity of a director, manager or secretary or otherwise);

*relevant power* means any power, whether exercisable by voting or otherwise and whether exercisable alone or in association with others —

- (a) to participate in any managerial or executive decision; or
- (b) to elect or appoint any person to any relevant position.
- (2) For the purposes of regulations 6D, 6E and 6G, a person is a *close associate* of the holder of a dealer's licence if the person
  - (a) holds any relevant financial interest, or is entitled to exercise any relevant power (whether in his or her own right or on behalf of any other person), in the business of the holder, and by virtue of that interest or power is able to exercise a significant influence over or with respect to the conduct of that business; or
  - (b) holds any relevant position, whether in his or her own right or on behalf of any other person, in the business of the holder.

[Regulation 6C inserted: Gazette 12 Aug 2003 p. 3666.]

## 6D. Information about close associates of applicant for issue or renewal of dealer's licence

In an application for the issue or renewal of a dealer's licence, the applicant must give the name and address of each person who will be (if the licence is issued or renewed) a close associate of the applicant and particulars of the nature of each such person's association with the applicant.

[Regulation 6D inserted: Gazette 12 Aug 2003 p. 3666.]

#### **6E.** Dealer's licences — restrictions on issue

The Commissioner must not issue or renew a dealer's licence if the Commissioner —

- is not satisfied that the applicant is to be the person primarily responsible for the management of the business to be carried on under the authority of the licence; or
- is of the opinion that a person who will be (if the licence (b) is issued or renewed) a close associate of the applicant is not a fit and proper person to be a close associate of the holder of a dealer's licence.

[Regulation 6E inserted: Gazette 12 Aug 2003 p. 3667.]

#### **6F.** Condition on dealer's licence — persons not to be involved in firearms dealing business

(1) In this regulation —

> prescribed person, in relation to the business authorised by a dealer's licence, means a person who —

- has, within the period of 10 years before being employed in that business, been
  - convicted in this State of an offence under Part II Chapter IX or Part V (other than Chapters XXXIV and XXXV) of The Criminal Code: or
  - (ii) convicted elsewhere of a substantially similar offence;

or

(b) has, within the period of 10 years before being employed in that business, had his or her dealer's licence revoked by the Commissioner for any reason; or

- has, within the period of 10 years before being employed in that business, had his or her application for a licence, permit or approval refused by the Commissioner, or had a licence, permit or approval issued or granted to him or her revoked, because
  - the Commissioner was not satisfied that the person was a fit and proper person to hold the approval, permit, or licence; or
  - (ii) the Commissioner considered that the issue of the licence or grant of the permit or approval to the person would be contrary to the public interest:

or

- (d) is subject to a violence restraining order as defined in section 11(4) of the Act; or
- is subject to a conditional release order, a community (e) based order, an intensive supervision order, suspended imprisonment or an early release order under the Sentencing Act 1995, or a similar order or bond made or entered into elsewhere: or
- is subject to a disqualification order made under (f) section 27A of the Act.
- A dealer's licence may be made subject to the condition that the holder of the licence must not —
  - (a) employ a prescribed person in the business that is authorised by the licence; or
  - permit a prescribed person to act as an agent for, or (b) participate in the management of, that business.
- (3) It is a defence for the holder of a dealer's licence prosecuted for an offence under section 21(2) of the Act of failing to comply with the condition referred to in subregulation (2), if the holder proves that he or she did not know, and could not reasonably be expected to have known, that the person employed or permitted

to act as an agent for, or to participate in the management of, the holder's business was in fact a prescribed person.

[Regulation 6F inserted: Gazette 12 Aug 2003 p. 3667-8; amended: Gazette 23 Apr 2010 p. 1524.]

# 6G. Condition on dealer's licence — information about close associates to be provided

- (1) A dealer's licence may be made subject to the condition that whenever a person ceases to be or becomes a close associate of the holder, the holder must notify the Commissioner in accordance with subregulation (2) of
  - (a) the name and address of each person who is a close associate of the holder; and
  - (b) the particulars of the nature of each such person's association with the holder.
- (2) The notice under subregulation (1) must be given in writing to the Commissioner within 7 days after a person ceases to be or becomes a close associate of the holder.
- (3) A person must not, in any notice under subregulation (1), make a statement or provide information knowing it to be incorrect or misleading.

[Regulation 6G inserted: Gazette 12 Aug 2003 p. 3668.]

### 7. Licences and permits, applications for

- (1) An application for a licence is to be lodged by the applicant in person at
  - (a) an Australia Post Office in Western Australia; or
  - (b) the General Post Office in the capital city of any other State or a Territory; or
  - (c) a place approved by the Commissioner.
- (2) Application for a temporary permit may be made to the officer in charge of any police station where the circumstances so

- require, but should normally be made to the officer in charge of the police station nearest to the place where the applicant resides.
- (3) An application for a licence is to be accompanied by
  - a current firearm serviceability certificate for the firearm in respect of which the application is made; and
  - evidence, in a manner approved by the Commissioner, (b) of the applicant's identity; and
  - evidence in the form of Form 2 that the applicant has (c) passed a firearms safety test conducted by the holder of a dealer's licence or an officer of an approved shooting club or other approved organisation.
- (4) After receiving an application the Commissioner may, in writing, direct the applicant to arrange for the firearm to which the application relates to be produced for inspection at a police station specified in the direction.
- (5) Where the application is for an addition to a licence subregulation (3)(c) does not apply.

### [(6), (7) deleted]

- If the age of a person applying for a licence or permit appears to be under 18 years, the person to whom the application is made may require proof of the applicant's age.
- (9) A person wilfully misrepresenting any material particulars in relation to any application for a licence or permit shall be guilty of a breach of these regulations.

[Regulation 7 amended: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6798-9; 30 Jun 1999 p. 2862; 30 Jun 2000 p. 3428; 31 Jul 2001 p. 3918; 20 Jun 2003 p. 2244; 1 Jul 2005 p. 3002; 29 Jun 2007 p. 3197; 16 Nov 2007 p. 5728; 6 Nov 2009 p. 4418-19.]

#### 7A. **Extract of licence**

- (1a) To apply for the issue of an extract of licence a person must
  - submit an application in the form of Form 8 in accordance with regulation 7; and
  - pay the fee. (b)
- A person who has applied for the grant of a firearm licence is (1b)also to be taken to have applied for the issue of an extract of licence.
- (1c) A person who has applied for the renewal of a firearm licence is also to be taken to have applied for the issue of a fresh extract of licence if on the day the licence is due to expire an extract of licence has not been issued for 5 years or more.
- An extract of licence is required to include on it a photograph of (1) the face of the holder.
- (2) A person to whom application is made for the grant, issue, or renewal of a licence, permit, approval, or authorisation may require the applicant to attend at a place specified, or of a class specified, when making the requirement for the purpose of enabling the photograph required by subregulation (1) to be taken.
- (3) The Commissioner may, by notice in writing given to a person described in section 22A(1)(a), (b), or (c) of the Act, require the person, to attend –
  - at a place specified, or a place of a class specified, in the notice: and
  - within a time specified in the notice, (b)

for the purpose of enabling the photograph required by subregulation (1) to be taken.

If a person satisfies the Commissioner that attendance in (4) accordance with a requirement under subregulation (2) or (3) would present unreasonable difficulty, the Commissioner may require the person to instead provide such photographs, together

- with such evidence of their authenticity, as the Commissioner specifies.
- (5) A requirement may be made under this regulation even though the person whose photograph is required is already the holder of an extract of licence if the Commissioner thinks that another photograph should be obtained.

[Regulation 7A inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6799; amended: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5729.]

#### 7B. **Identity check**

A person to whom application is made for the grant, issue, or renewal of a permit, approval, or authorisation may require the applicant to provide evidence of identity in a manner approved by the Commissioner.

[Regulation 7B inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6799; amended: Gazette 6 Nov 2009 p. 4419.1

#### 8. Licences and permits, issue of duplicates

- (1) The Commissioner may, on payment by the applicant of the fee, issue a duplicate licence or permit to replace a licence or permit lost, stolen or destroyed or issue a replacement extract of licence to replace an extract of licence lost, stolen or destroyed.
- (2) No particular form is required for applying for the issue of a duplicate licence.
- (2a) To apply for the issue of a replacement extract of licence, a person must submit an application in the form of Form 8 in accordance with regulation 7.
- No particular form is required for applying for the issue of a (3) duplicate permit, and the fee to be paid is the fee that would have been payable in respect of the issue of a permit for the unexpired period to which the original permit related.

[Regulation 8 inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6800; amended: Gazette 12 Jun 1998 p. 3199; 30 Jun 1999 p. 2862; 30 Jun 2000 p. 3428; 31 Jul 2001 p. 3913; 31 Aug 2001 p. 4883; 28 Jun 2002 p. 3098; 20 Jun 2003 p. 2244; 1 Jul 2005 p. 3003; 27 Jun 2006 p. 2301; 29 Jun 2007 p. 3197-8; 16 Nov 2007 p. 5729.1

#### 9. Notification of certain events by licence and permit holders

- (1) A holder of a licence, permit or approval must give the Commissioner written notice of any of the following events —
  - (a) a change of the holder's name;
  - a change in the holder's place of residence; (b)
  - a change in the storage arrangements for a firearm to (c) which the licence, permit or approval relates.
- The notice referred to in subregulation (1) must be given no (2) later than 21 days after the event occurs.

[Regulation 9 inserted: Gazette 6 Nov 2009 p. 4420.]

#### **10. Guided hunting tours**

- Where a person applies for a temporary permit for the purposes (1) of a guided hunting tour and the person dealing with the application is not satisfied as to the experience, competence and safety of the applicant in relation to firearms of the kind to which the application relates he shall endorse the permit with a notation that use of those firearms is only permitted under the direct supervision of a person named.
- (2) The person named under subregulation (1) as being responsible for supervising the use of the firearms may be required, as a condition of the grant of the permit, to acknowledge that he is prepared so to exercise supervision as to ensure that all reasonable and proper care is taken to prevent danger in the use of the firearm.

[Regulation 10 amended: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6800.]

#### 11. Safe custody (Act s. 33(3))

- (1) To request the Commissioner under section 33(3) of the Act to accept a firearm or ammunition for safe custody, a person must submit a request in the form of Form 7 in accordance with regulation 7 and pay the fee.
- It is a condition of the custody that, if custody is to continue for (1a) longer than 1 year, the owner is required, before the end of each year of custody
  - to request the Commissioner in writing to continue the custody for another year; and
  - (b) to pay in advance the fee for custody for another year.
- Where the Commissioner accepts into safe custody any firearm (2) or ammunition from any person the Commissioner shall —
  - (a) cause an identifying tag or tie label to be placed on, or attached to the firearm or ammunition bearing the name and address of the owner and the depositor of the firearm or ammunition, the date of deposit, the type of firearm or ammunition, the maker's name, the serial number of the firearm and the calibre:
  - cause that firearm or ammunition to be kept secure (b) under lock and key and regularly maintained.
- (3) No responsibility shall attach to the Commissioner, and no claim shall be accepted, for any loss or damage in relation to any firearm or ammunition held by the Commissioner under this regulation.

[Regulation 11 amended: Gazette 21 Oct 1983 p. 4267; 26 Oct 1984 p. 3455; 26 Sep 1986 p. 3687; 19 Aug 1988 p. 2914; 8 Sep 1989 p. 3174; 7 Sep 1990 p. 4699; 20 Sep 1991 p. 4942; 16 Sep 1994 p. 4795; 22 Aug 1995 p. 3829; 6 Dec 1996 p. 6800-1; 12 Jun 1998 p. 3199; 30 Jun 1999 p. 2862; 30 Jun 2000 p. 3428; 31 Aug 2001 p. 4883; 28 Jun 2002 p. 3098; 29 Jun 2004 p. 2541; 1 Jul 2005 p. 3003; 27 Jun 2006 p. 2301; 29 Jun 2007 p. 3198; 16 Nov 2007 p. 5730.]

### 11A. Storage security requirements (Sch. 4)

- (1) A person entitled to possess firearms or ammunition of any kind is to ensure that the firearms or ammunition are stored in accordance with this regulation.
- (2) Firearms and ammunition are to be stored in a locked cabinet or container that at least meets the specifications described in Schedule 4 or in such other way as is approved.
- (3A) Subregulation (2) does not apply to propellant unless it is incorporated in a cartridge.
  - (3) A cabinet or container that can be unlocked with a key is to be regarded as unlocked if the key is left in the lock or is otherwise accessible where the cabinet or container is located.

### [(4)-(6)] deleted

- (7) A magazine is not to contain any ammunition when it is stored.
- (7A) Subregulation (7) does not apply to a person who
  - (a) is a member of the Police Force or armed forces of the Crown; and
  - (b) is exempted, or belongs to a class of persons exempted, by the Commissioner from the requirement in subregulation (7).
  - (8) Ammunition is not to be stored in a cabinet or container in which a firearm is stored unless the ammunition is in another locked metal container in which no firearm is stored and which is securely affixed so as to prevent its removal from the cabinet or container.
  - [(9) deleted]

(10)The requirements of this regulation are in addition to, not instead of, any requirements under the Dangerous Goods Safety Act 2004.

> [Regulation 11A inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6801; amended: Gazette 24 Sep 1997 p. 5367; 4 Feb 2011 p. 397; 21 Jul 2015 p. 2939; SL 2020/140 r. 4.1

[11B. Omitted under the Reprints Act 1984 s. 7(4)(g).]

#### 11C. Declaration as to storage facilities

A statement that a person is to give the Commissioner if it is requested under section 11(7)(b) or 20(1)(ad)(ii) of the Act is to be a statutory declaration in the form of Form 22.

[Regulation 11C inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6802; amended: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5730.]

#### **12. Disposal**

Where the Commissioner disposes of a firearm or ammunition in his possession by virtue of his authority under section 33 of the Firearms Act 1973, he may —

- where the firearm or ammunition is suitable, enter and retain it in the Police Department Armoury and Ballistics Library; or
- sell the firearm or ammunition; or (b)
- (c) destroy the firearm or ammunition by smelting or other approved method under police supervision.

[Regulation 12 amended: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6802; SL 2020/248 r. 4.1

#### **13. Revocation of licence**

A licence that has been revoked shall be delivered to the officer in charge of the police station nearest to the usual place of residence of the person in whose name the licence was issued, within 7 days of receipt of the notice of revocation issued by the Commissioner.

#### Deleted: Gazette 30 Dec 2004 p. 6974.] *[14.*]

#### 15. **Shooting galleries**

- (1) The proprietor and any other person having the management or control of a shooting gallery shall
  - cause the several parts of the shooting gallery to be properly put together and securely fixed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner:
  - (b) cause every part of the shooting gallery within, along, or towards which it may be intended that any firearm shall be discharged, to be constructed of iron of such strength and thickness as is sufficient to resist any missile or projectile that may be discharged from that firearm and to be maintained at all times in good repair and condition to the satisfaction of the Commissioner;
  - (c) cause the shooting gallery to be so constructed that no missile or projectile that may be discharged from the firearms used therein can escape from the shooting gallery, if a firearm at the moment of discharge is pointed towards any target or mark that may be within the shooting gallery;
  - (d) cause the shooting gallery at all times when open for public use to be under the management and control of a sufficient number of competent persons;
  - cause the letting to hire and use by any person of any (e) firearm in the shooting gallery to be under the management and control of a competent person directly responsible therefor;
  - (f) take all reasonable and proper care so as to prevent danger from the use of firearms in the shooting gallery;
  - not at any time cause or suffer to be used in a firearm (g) any greater charge than is consistent with safety, and shall cause every firearm, whether loaded or unloaded to be pointed towards the target in the shooting gallery, and

shall not suffer any loaded firearm to be taken out of the shooting gallery.

- (2) No person hiring or using any firearm in a shooting gallery shall, while the firearm is loaded or being loaded, allow the firearm to be pointed otherwise than towards the target in the shooting gallery and no person shall take any loaded firearm out of the shooting gallery.
- (3) No person shall wilfully, improperly, carelessly, or negligently interfere with any person or any firearm let to any person in a shooting gallery or with any shield, fastening, or fitting which secures or contributes to the safe use of firearms therein.
- A firearm can be used at a shooting gallery only if it is of not (4) more than .22 calibre and it is
  - an air rifle; or
  - a rim fire firearm chambered for ammunition that is no (b) more highly powered than standard long rifle ammunition.

[Regulation 15 amended: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6803.]

#### 16. **Reloaded ammunition**

- (1) A person licensed as a dealer or manufacturer shall, before selling or disposing of any item of reloaded ammunition, durably imprint in a prominent place on the cartridge package the words, "Reloaded Ammunition".
- For the purpose of this regulation *reloaded ammunition* means (2) ammunition utilising a cartridge case that has been used previously.

#### **17.** Records of ammunition sales (Act s. 30(3))

(1) For the purposes of section 30(3) of the *Firearms Act 1973*, the entry required shall be made in a permanent and legible manner in the record kept for the purpose.

- The record kept for the purposes of this regulation shall be (2) maintained in Form 19 in an Ammunition Sales Book kept for the purpose, or in such other manner as the Commissioner may approve.
- Where the ammunition is supplied (3)
  - in response to a mail order, the mail order shall be affixed in the Ammunition Sales Book opposite the relevant entry; and
  - in response to an order placed by another licensed dealer (b) or manufacturer, a copy of the invoice shall be affixed in the Ammunition Sales Book opposite the relevant entry; and
  - in any other case, the person to whom the ammunition is (c) supplied shall sign a statement in the Ammunition Sales Book acknowledging the truth of the details entered,

unless the Commissioner has approved of some other manner of maintaining the sales record, in which case the Commissioner's requirements shall be observed.

(4) A person who is the holder of a dealer's licence is required to retain an Ammunition Sales Book for 3 years after last making an entry in it except that, upon ceasing to be the holder of a dealer's licence, the person is required to surrender to the Commissioner any Ammunition Sales Book in which the person has made an entry during the last 3 years.

[Regulation 17 amended: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6803; 16 Nov 2007 p. 5730.]

#### 18. Records of firearms dealings (Act s. 31(2))

- (1) For the purposes of section 31(2) of the *Firearms Act 1973*
  - the holder of a corporate licence shall, in a permanent and legible manner, maintain a record in a form approved by the Commissioner showing particulars of the firearms and ammunition in the possession of each

employee at any time, the name and place of residence of the employees in such possession, and, where the firearm is carried elsewhere than on the premises of the organisation, the purposes and places where the employee is authorised by the organisation to carry the firearm;

- (b) the holder of a repairer's licence or dealer's licence shall, in a permanent and legible manner, maintain
  - (i) a record of all firearms and major firearm parts brought into stock in Form 20; and
  - (ii) a record of all firearms and major firearm parts repaired and delivered, sold or let on hire in Form 21,

and shall not later than the seventh day in each month lodge at the police station nearest to the premises named in his licence a copy of those records for the preceding calendar month, whether or not any transaction took place in that month.

- (1a) In subregulation (1) and Forms 20 and 21 *major firearm part* means any slide, barrel, revolving chamber, frame, receiver, trigger assembly or magazine.
- (2) A person who is the holder of a corporate licence is required to retain any record referred to in subregulation (1)(a) for 3 years after last making an entry in it except that, upon ceasing to be the holder of a corporate licence, the person is required to surrender to the Commissioner any such record in which the person has made an entry during the last 3 years.

[Regulation 18 amended: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6803-4; 12 Aug 2003 p. 3668-9; 16 Nov 2007 p. 5730-1; 6 Nov 2009 p. 4420.]

### 19. Manufacturer's licence holders

(1) The holder of a manufacturer's licence who disposes of any firearm or ammunition shall compile, maintain and lodge

- records required by these regulations as though in relation to any such transaction he had been the holder of a dealer's licence.
- The holder of a manufacturer's licence shall, in a permanent and (2) legible manner, maintain a record in a form approved by the Commissioner setting out a description and the calibre of every firearm manufactured by him, the serial number imprinted on the firearm, and the date of manufacture and shall not later than the seventh day in each month lodge at the police station nearest to the premises named in his licence, or at such other place as the Commissioner may direct, a copy of that record for the preceding calendar month, whether or not any manufacture took place in that month.

[Regulation 19 amended: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6804.]

#### 19A. Records for ammunition collector's licence

- (1) The holder of an ammunition collector's licence is to compile and maintain, in a permanent and legible manner, a record of ammunition to which the licence relates in a form approved by the Commissioner.
- The record is to include details of (2)
  - the dates on which ammunition was acquired or (a) disposed of; and
  - the full name and address of the person from whom (b) ammunition was acquired or to whom ammunition is disposed of, and the number of the person's licence or permit; and
  - the calibre and quantity of ammunition acquired or (c) disposed of; and
  - (d) the number of cartridges forming the collection; and
  - such other matters as the Commissioner may direct. (e)

[Regulation 19A inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6804.]

### 20. Limits on premises identified in certain licences

(1) In this regulation —

### licence means —

- (a) a dealer's licence; or
- (b) a repairer's licence; or
- (c) a manufacturer's licence.
- (2) Except as provided in subregulation (3), a licence must identify only one premises as premises to which the licence relates.
- (3) A repairer's licence or a manufacturer's licence issued to a person who is a member of the Police Force or an employee of the Department in connection with the performance of the person's duties must identify one or more premises as premises to which the licence relates.

[Regulation 20 inserted: Gazette 6 Nov 2009 p. 4420-1.]

### 21. Register (Act s. 31(1))

- (1) For the purposes of section 31(1) of the Act, the Commissioner must compile and maintain a register, in such form as the Commissioner decides, of the following information in respect of each application for a licence, permit or approval under the Act
  - (a) the date of the application;
  - (b) the applicant's name, address and date of birth;
  - (c) the licence, permit or approval applied for;
  - (d) as to any firearm the subject of the application
    - (i) its type, calibre, action type and loading method;
    - (ii) the name of its manufacturer and its serial number or numbers;
    - (iii) the number, length and configuration of its barrels:
    - (iv) the type of ammunition it fires;

- the size of any magazine it has; (v)
- (vi) its category;
- whether the application was refused or approved; (e)
- if the application is refused (f)
  - the date it was refused; (i)
  - the reasons for the refusal; (ii)
- if the application is approved (g)
  - the number, the date of issue, and the date of expiry, of the licence, permit or approval concerned:
  - any restriction, limitation or condition to which (ii) the licence, permit or approval concerned is subject;
- any unique identifying number given to the firearm by (h) the Commissioner.
- (2) Subregulation (1) does not limit the information the Commissioner may keep in the register.

[Regulation 21 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5731-2.]

#### 22. Search warrants (Act s. 26)

- An application for a search warrant under section 26(1) of the (1) Act must be made in the form of Form 25.
- (2) An application for a search warrant under section 26(2) of the Act must be made in the form of Form 26.
- A search warrant granted under section 26(1) of the Act must be (3) in the form of Form 27.
- (4) A search warrant granted under section 26(2) of the Act must be in the form of Form 28.

[Regulation 22 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5732.]

### 22A. Entry without warrant (Act s. 24(2a) and 24(7)(b))

- (1) A member of the Police Force who exercises powers given by section 24(2a) of the Act without warrant is required to give the written report required by section 24(7)(b) of the Act within 7 days after the power is exercised.
- (2) The report is required to include details of
  - (a) the circumstances leading to the exercise of the powers; and
  - (b) the grounds on which it was suspected that any firearm or ammunition might be found in the possession of a person in the circumstances described in section 24(2) of the Act; and
  - (c) why it was necessary to act speedily; and
  - (d) why a warrant under section 26(2) of the Act could not have been obtained in time; and
  - (e) whether the person, if any, holding a licence, permit, or approval for any firearm or ammunition found is, in the member's opinion, a fit and proper person to hold it.
- (3) If, when the powers were exercised, any firearm or ammunition was seized and taken under section 24(2) of the Act, the member of the Police Force seizing it is to notify the officer in charge of the Firearms Branch by telephone, facsimile, or similarly speedy means as soon as practicable.
- (4) If the owner of the firearm or ammunition seized is neither the holder of a licence relating to it nor otherwise lawfully entitled to possess it, the Commissioner is required, within 21 days after notification of the seizure of any firearm or ammunition is given under subregulation (3), to give the owner notice under section 33(1)(c) of the Act requiring the owner to lawfully dispose of it.
- (5) Subregulation (4) does not apply if
  - (a) the owner dies or cannot be found; or

- a prosecution has been commenced for an offence relating to the firearm or ammunition seized.
- If the owner of the firearm or ammunition seized is the holder of (6) a licence relating to it or is otherwise lawfully entitled to possess it, the Commissioner is required, within 21 days after notification of the seizure of any firearm or ammunition is given under subregulation (3), to —
  - (a) return it to the owner; or
  - revoke the licence and give the owner notice under (b) section 33(1)(c) of the Act requiring the owner to lawfully dispose of the firearm or ammunition; or
  - give the owner a request under section 20(1a) of the Act. (c)
- If the Commissioner complies with subregulation (6) by giving (7) the owner a request under section 20(1a) of the Act, the Commissioner is required, within the period fixed by subregulation (8), to
  - return the firearm or ammunition seized to the owner; or (a)
  - revoke the licence and give the owner notice under (b) section 33(1)(c) of the Act requiring the owner to lawfully dispose of the firearm or ammunition.
- (8) The period within which the Commissioner is to act under subregulation (7) is the period of 21 days after
  - information is supplied or a submission is made, in accordance with the request, in a form acceptable to the Commissioner; or
  - the period allowed by section 20(1a) of the Act for supplying the information or making the submission elapses,

whichever happens first.

- Subregulation (6) or (7) does not apply if (9)
  - the owner cannot be found; or (a)

a prosecution has been commenced for an offence relating to the firearm or ammunition seized.

[Regulation 22A inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6805-6; amended: Gazette 23 Apr 2010 p. 1524.]

#### 23. **Offences**

- (1) Except as stated in subregulation (2), a person who
  - fails to comply with any of the requirements of these regulations within the time and in the manner provided;
  - contravenes or fails to comply with any provision of (b) these regulations,

commits an offence and is liable to a penalty not exceeding \$1 000.

(2) Subregulation (1) does not apply to a contravention of regulation 26 and accordingly section 6(3) of the Act applies to it. [Regulation 23 amended: Gazette 5 Mar 1993 p. 1489; 6 Dec 1996 p. 6806-7.1

#### 24. Safety standards and tests (Act s. 18(5))

(1) For the purposes of section 18(5) of the Firearms Act 1973, the prescribed safety standards and tests shall be —

### Safety tests

Firearms generally

- 1. The firearm loaded with a primed cartridge case, fully cocked and with the safety catch or safety notch, if any, disengaged, shall not operate in such a way as to discharge the primed cartridge case when
  - it is held with the barrel vertical and dropped thrice, being re-cocked after each drop, from a height of not more than 45 cm butt first onto a rubber mat 25 mm thick having a durometer

- reading of 70 or more and which is backed by a steel sheet:
- it is struck by a hammer with a rubber head weighing 600 g and having a durometer reading of 70 or more and a 100 g wooden handle which is held at the end of the handle with the head 30 cm above the place to be struck and allowed to fall under its own weight once at various distances along the length of the firearm with a maximum of 6 times with no pressure being exerted on the trigger and with the firearm being re-cocked after each blow;
- if having an exposed hammer or exposed (c) hammers or if having a bolt action each hammer or bolt tail is struck once by a hammer with a rubber head weighing 600 g and having a durometer reading of 70 or more and a 100 g wooden handle which is held at the end of the handle with the head 30 cm above the place to be struck and allowed to fall under its own weight;
- if having an exposed hammer or cocking device or exposed hammers or cocking devices each hammer or cocking device is moved back towards the cocking position 3 times and immediately prior to the sear engaging the bent or bents in the fully cocked position and with no pressure being applied to the trigger the hammer or cocking device is released 3 times and allowed to travel forward under the pressure of the spring.
- 2. (1) The trigger mechanism is not to operate when a force of 1 kg is exerted on the central point of the trigger in the direction in which the trigger operates except, in the case of a firearm designed with a trigger mechanism capable of being set, when the trigger mechanism has been set.

- (2) In subparagraph (1) set means to operate a trigger, button, stud, lever, or other device so as to reduce the trigger pressure that is required to operate the trigger mechanism.
- 3. The firearm shall be fitted with an effective trigger guard.
- 4. (a) The firearm, unless it is a hammer firearm fitted with cock mechanism or safety bent, shall be fitted with a safety device which when engaged in the "safe" position prevents operation of the trigger mechanism and which can be disengaged only by a distinct pressure of the finger or thumb.
  - The safety device shall clearly indicate that the (b) firearm is in either a "safe" or "Fire" condition.
- I(2)deleted]
- Target rifles, target hand guns, trap guns and other special purpose firearms may be exempted from some or all of the safety tests at the discretion of the Commissioner.
- Where applicable, the tests specified in subparagraphs (a), (c) (4) and (d) of paragraph 1 of the Safety tests shall apply to an underwater explosive device, and, in addition, the device shall have a hydraulic safety lock incorporated in the design to prevent the power head discharging out of water and which shall become effective within a maximum of 10 seconds after the power head has been removed from water and shall be tested by means of dropping the power head onto a hard surface from a height of 1 metre with the muzzle in a vertical position, pointing either up or down, and with the safety catch in the "Fire" position.

[Regulation 24 amended: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6807-8.]

#### 25A. Firearm serviceability certificates

(1) In this regulation —

#### authorised person means —

- (a) the holder of a dealer's licence; or
- (b) the holder of a repairer's licence; or
- (c) the holder of a manufacturer's licence; or
- (d) an officer of an approved shooting club or other approved organisation; or
- (e) a member of the Police Force;

*firearm serviceability certificate*, in relation to a firearm, means a certificate in the form of Form 3.

- (2) An authorised person, having examined a firearm, may provide a firearm serviceability certificate in respect of the firearm.
- (3) A firearm serviceability certificate remains current for a period of 3 months commencing on the date it is provided.

[Regulation 25A inserted: Gazette 6 Nov 2009 p. 4421-2.]

# 25. Members of Police Force permitted to perform certain Commissioner's functions

In respect of a firearm or ammunition referred to in an item in the Table, the Commissioner's functions referred to in that item may be performed by a member of the Police Force referred to in that item.

**Table** 

Item	Firearm or ammunition	Function	Member of Police Force who may perform function
1.	A firearm other than a	Grant a permit without conditions	Any member of the Police Force

Item	Firearm or ammunition	Function	Member of Police Force who may perform function
	firearm of category D		
2.	A firearm described in Schedule 2	Issue a firearm licence without conditions Refuse to grant a permit or issue a licence	Any member of the Police Force employed in the Department to carry out licensing functions in respect of firearms
3.	A firearm other than a firearm of category D or ammunition	Grant an approval, or issue a licence, without conditions Grant a permit or approval, or issue a licence, with conditions Refuse to grant a permit or approval, or issue a licence	Any member of the Police Force who is, or is performing the functions of, a sergeant or an officer of a rank more senior than sergeant and who is employed in the Department to carry out licensing functions in respect of firearms
4.	A firearm of category D	Issue a licence without conditions Issue a licence with conditions Refuse to issue a licence	Any member of the Police Force who is, or is performing the functions of, a superintendent or an officer of a rank more senior than superintendent and

Item	Firearm or ammunition	Function	Member of Police Force who may perform function
			who is responsible for licensing functions in respect of firearms

[Regulation 25 inserted: Gazette 5 Apr 2016 p. 1026-7.]

#### 26. Prohibited firearms and ammunition

- (1) Subject to subregulations (2), (2a), (2BA), (2BB) and (2BC), the acquisition, sale, possession or use of a firearm or ammunition specified in the Table to this regulation is absolutely prohibited.
- (2) This regulation does not apply to a member of the armed forces of the Crown in the performance of his duties, or to any other member of a disciplined force approved by the Commissioner, or to the acquisition or possession of such a firearm or ammunition by The Western Australian Museum for purposes authorised by the *Museum Act 1969*.
- (2a) This regulation does not apply to a firearm of category D if the firearm is licensed under the Act and what is done is in accordance with the licence.
- (2BA) This regulation does not apply to a firearm, or ammunition for a firearm, if
  - (a) the firearm or ammunition is the subject of
    - (i) a licence or permission to import granted under the *Customs (Prohibited Imports)* Regulations 1956 (Commonwealth); and
    - (ii) a licence or permission to export granted under the *Customs (Prohibited Exports)* Regulations 1958 (Commonwealth);

and

- (b) the firearm is named and identified in a licence issued under section 16(1)(c) of the Act and what is done is in accordance with the licence.
- (2BB) This regulation does not apply to the holder of a dealer's licence who is authorised by the Commissioner to acquire the firearm for the purpose of selling it
  - (a) to a person referred to in subregulation (2); or
  - (b) to the holder of a licence for the firearm.
- (2BC) This regulation does not apply to frangible ammunition if what is done in relation to the ammunition
  - (a) is for the purpose of
    - (i) supplying the ammunition for a Commonwealth, State or Territory government purpose; or
    - (ii) exporting the ammunition under a licence or permission to export granted under the *Customs* (*Prohibited Exports*) Regulations 1958 (Commonwealth);

and

- (b) is in accordance with a licence issued under section 16(1)(f) of the Act.
- (2b) In this regulation a reference to ammunition for a firearm that is prohibited does not include ammunition that is also suitable for a firearm that is not prohibited.
- (3) Any firearm or ammunition the subject of an offence against this regulation shall be forfeited to the Crown.

#### Table of prohibited firearms and ammunition

- a firearm of category D
- a machine gun, or ammunition for it
- a hand grenade
- a mortar gun, or ammunition for it
- a bazooka gun, or ammunition for it
- a fully automatic firearm

a firearm designed to discharge tear gas, or ammunition for it

a "forward venting" blank firing imitation firearm ammunition the missile from which includes any high explosive, smoke, chemical, lachrymatory agent, or flechettes

tracer ammunition

incendiary ammunition

armour piercing (hard steel core) ammunition

imprint free (accelerator) ammunition

frangible ammunition

ammunition the missile from which has a calibre of 20 mm or more

[Regulation 26 amended: Gazette 11 Feb 1977 p. 428; 22 Jul 1977 p. 2358-9; 27 May 1983 p. 1612; 20 Dec 1991 p. 6370; 6 Dec 1996 p. 6809-10; 12 Jan 2007 p. 53; 17 Apr 2009 p. 1324-5; 6 Nov 2009 p. 4424; 23 Apr 2010 p. 1524-5.]

[26A. Deleted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6810.]

# 26B. Certain licences, permits and approvals not to be issued, granted or given

(1) In this regulation —

*revolving rifle* means a rifle the ammunition for which is loaded into and fired from a revolving cylinder or revolving chamber.

- (2) A licence, permit or approval relating to a firearm cannot be issued, granted or given if
  - (a) in the opinion of the Commissioner, the firearm closely resembles a firearm that is prohibited under regulation 26; or

- (b) in the opinion of the Commissioner, the firearm is designed to be, or capable of being, readily adapted for use as a handgun; or
- the firearm is specified in the Table to subregulation (4); (c)
- (d) subject to subregulation (3), the firearm is a revolving rifle.
- Subregulation (2)(d) does not prevent a licence, permit or (3) approval being issued, granted or given for a revolving rifle if
  - the revolving rifle is a single action revolving rifle; and (a)
  - in the opinion of the Commissioner, the revolving rifle (b) has significant commemorative, historical, thematic or heirloom value.
- (4) The following firearms are specified for the purpose of subregulation (2)(c) —

**Table** 

Calibre	<b>Description of firearm</b>
.22 calibre	Armi Jager model AP 15 semi-automatic rifle
.22 calibre	Armi Jager model AP 75 semi-automatic rifle
.22 calibre	Josef G: Landmann-Preetz model JGL — Automat 65 semi-automatic rifle
.22 calibre	Squibman Model 16 semi-automatic rifle
.223 calibre	Remington make, 7615P model, pump-action rifle
.223 calibre	Vektor make, H 5 model, pump-action rifle
7.62 mm calibre	Cugir pump-action (Romanian make) rifle designed for ammunition with a case length of 39 mm

[Regulation 26B inserted: Gazette 12 Jan 2007 p. 53-4; amended: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4185.]

#### 27. **Infringement notices (Act s. 19A)**

- For the purposes of section 19A of the Firearms Act 1973 (1)
  - the amount prescribed by way of penalty referred to in subsection (1)(c), and subsection (2)(a), of that section is \$421; and
  - the notice to be served pursuant to subsection (2) of that (b) section shall be in the form of Form 23 and is referred to as an infringement notice.
- I(2)deleted]
- (3) A notice withdrawing an infringement notice shall be in Form 24.

[Regulation 27 inserted: Gazette 13 Jan 1978 p. 121; amended: Gazette 24 Jul 1981 p. 3071; 20 Aug 1982 p. 3269; 21 Oct 1983 p. 4267; 26 Oct 1984 p. 3456; 26 Sep 1986 p. 3687; 19 Aug 1988 p. 2914; 8 Sep 1989 p. 3174; 7 Sep 1990 p. 4699; 20 Sep 1991 p. 4942; 26 Jun 1992 p. 2797; 24 Sep 1993 p. 5292; 16 Sep 1994 p. 4795; 22 Aug 1995 p. 3829; 6 Dec 1996 p. 6811; 30 Jun 1999 p. 2862; 30 Jun 2000 p. 3429; 31 Jul 2001 p. 3913; 31 Aug 2001 p. 4883; 28 Jun 2002 p. 3098; 20 Jun 2003 p. 2245; 29 Jun 2004 p. 2541; 1 Jul 2005 p. 3003; 29 Jun 2007 p. 3198; 16 Nov 2007 p. 5733; 24 Jun 2008 p. 2909.1

### Schedule 1 — Forms

[r. 3]

[Heading inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5733.]

1. Application for licence
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Western Australia			Application for l	licence
Firear	ms Act 19	73		
Section	on 1. Typ	e of application		
1.	What typ	e of licence are you app	olying for?	
		arms □ 2. Collectors airers □ 6. Manufactu		
Note	for a lic		Sections 2 and 3 as	s if that person was
2.	Is this app	olication for an original	or additional lice	nce?
	☐ Original As part of your application you must provide your original firearms awareness certificate.		-	
	☐ Additi	onal		
Section	on 2. Deta	ails of applicant		
3.	Your nan	ne		
	Family na	ame	All given names	
4.	Residential address Unit number/Lot number/ Floor level		Street Number	
	Street name		Street type in ful Court)	l (e.g. Road, Avenue,
	Suburb/T	own/Locality	State	Postcode
5.	Is the address above your permanent residential address?  ☐ Yes ☐ No You cannot proceed with this application. Please contact			
		Police Licensing Servi	ces on 1300 1/1 (	)11.

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6.	Is your postal address the same as your residential address?			l address?
	☐ Yes	Go to question 8.		
	□ No	Complete your postal	address below.	
7.	Postal a	ddress		
		nber/Lot	Street Number	
		Floor level/PO		
	Box/RM	IB/Locked Bag		
	Street na	ame	Street type in full (e.g. Road, Avenue, Court)	
	Suburb/	Town/Locality	State	Postcode
o	In the ad	lduaca ahayya yayun manna	mont mostal adduc	209
8.	☐ Yes	ldress above your perma	ment postar addre	88 (
	□ No	V1		n. Diagrama and and
	□ No	You cannot proceed w Police Licensing Serv		
9.	Have you been known by any o		ther name(s)?	
	□ Yes	Please provide the oth below.	er names that you	have been known by
	□ No	Go to question 10.		
	Family l	Name	All given names	
	F	N	A 11 - :	
	Family I	Name	All given names	<b>;</b>
	Family I	Name	All given names	1
10.	Have vo	ou lived at any other add	ress during the las	et 2 vears?
10.	☐ Yes	Complete details of ea	=	<del>-</del>
	□ No	Go to question 11.	ich address below	•
		nber/Lot number/	Street Number	
	Floor le		Succe Number	

	Street na	nme	Street type in fu Court)	ll (e.g. Road, Avenue,
	Suburb/	Γown/Locality	State	Postcode
	Unit nur Floor lev	mber/Lot number/ vel	Street Number	
	Street na	nme	Street type in fu Court)	ll (e.g. Road, Avenue,
11.	Details of	Town/Locality of birth birth (Suburb/Town/Lo	State ocality)	Postcode
	Country	of birth		
	Date of	birth		
12.	licence.	If you are under 18 year u ever lived outside WA Please provide details Go to question 13.	A?	
13.		your gender?		
1.4		☐ Female	0	
14.	•	have a WA driver's lice	ence?	
	□ Yes	Licence number		
	□ No	Go to question 15.		

15.	Contact Telepho Home	ne Work Mobile
	Email ad	ddress
Sect	ion 3. His	story of applicant
16.	could af	st 5 years have you been treated for any medical condition that fect your fitness to hold a firearms licence or regularly used tion medication or other drugs?
	☐ Yes	Please provide details below.
	□ No	Go to question 17.
17.		have any physical or mental condition that could affect your o hold a firearms licence?  Please provide details below.  Go to question 18.
18.	Do you Act 197.	have a current firearms licence under the WA <i>Firearms</i> 3?
	□ Yes	Firearms licence number Expiry date
	□ No	Go to question 19.
19.	Have you	ou previously held a firearms licence under the WA <i>Firearms</i> 3?
	□ Yes	Firearms licence number  Last year held
		(If not known indicate 'unknown'.)
	□ No	Go to question 20.

20.	Have you ever had a firearms licence or application refused or cancelled or been disqualified from holding a firearms licence?			
	☐ Yes	Please provide details including where, when and why below.		
	□ No	Go to question 21.		
21.	Have yo	u ever been convicted of an offence in Australia or overseas?		
	□ Yes	Please provide details of all charges, including locations, below.		
	□ No	Go to question 22.		
22.	Have vo	ou ever been found guilty of an offence without a conviction		
	•	corded in Australia or overseas?		
	☐ Yes	Please provide details of all charges, including locations, below.		
	□ No	Go to question 23.		
23.	Do you overseas	have any outstanding charges against you in Australia or s?		
	☐ Yes	Please provide details of all charges, including locations, below.		
	□ No	Go to question 24.		

24.		currently or have you ever been bound by a Violence ing Order (WA) or equivalent order in Australia or overseas? Please provide details, including locations, below.  Go to question 25.			
25.	Are you	applying for a licence as a business or company?			
	□ Yes	Please provide the name of the business or company below and an agents nomination form confirming that you have the authority to make the application on behalf of the business or company.			
	□ No				
	Business	s or company name			
		be contacted by WA Police to provide additional information our business or company.			
Decla	aration of	f applicant			
to it i		of the information in this application and in every attachment correct. I know it is an offence to provide incorrect or promation.			
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POST		NUNTIL TOU LODGE THIS FORM AT AUSTRALIA			
Your	Your signature must be witnessed by the Australia Post verifier.				
	Applicant's signature				
Date					

#### **Australia Post use only**

I confirm that I have sighted original documentation that verifies the applicant's identity and that the applicant has provided the required documents.

Verifier's name

Verifier's signature

Date

Work Centre Code

Comments

You must complete Sections 5 and 6 if your application includes the licensing of a firearm.

#### Section 5. Firearms included in application

How many firearms are you applying to licence in this application? 26.

Please attach a firearm serviceability certificate for each firearm to which this application relates.

If you are applying to licence 1 to 5 firearms in this application complete questions 27 to 34 for each firearm.

If you are applying to licence more than 5 firearms in this application complete questions 27 to 34 for 5 of the firearms. WA Police will contact you regarding the other firearms.

27.	What car	tegory of firearm are v	you applying to licence in this
		on? (The category car	n be found on the firearm serviceability
	□ A or l	category other than	application to apply for firearms in any A or B. A separate application should be ms in categories other than A or B.
	□С	category other than	application to apply for firearms in any C. A separate application should be ms in categories other than C.
	□Е	category other than l	application to apply for firearms in any E. A separate application should be ms in categories other than E.
	□Н	category other than l	application to apply for firearms in any H. A separate application should be ms in categories other than H.
28.	What is	the firearm serviceabi	lity certificate number for the firearm?
29.	What is the most relevant reas firearm?		on for applying for a licence for this
	□ Club	use	You must provide a club support letter confirming that you are a member of an approved shooting club or association.
	□ Recre	eational/Hunt/Shoot	You must provide evidence that you have written permission from a landowner to hunt or shoot on his or her land.
		pational use — rry producer	You must provide evidence confirming that you are the owner of land on which the firearm will be used.
		pational use — nee of primary cer	You must provide evidence confirming that you have permission of the primary producer to use the firearm on land owned by the primary producer.
	☐ Occupational use — Other		You must provide an occupational support document.

	□ Collector	Grearm ☐ Sign ☐ Sign ☐ Sign ☐ Sign ☐ Please	n? nificant cominificant histonificant heirlant nificant theminificant theminificant theminificant	oom value
			irearm a han Was the ha □ Yes □ No	adgun?  Indgun manufactured after 1946?  Are you a student of arms?  Yes  No  Please provide further details about the firearm below.
	☐ Other use	Please	provide deta	ails of the other use below.
30.	What is your nee Please provide in firearm below.			your need for this particular

31.	=		le licensee for this firearm?
	☐ Yes	Go to question 32.	
	□ No	Please select the op	tion below that describes you.
		☐ Primary owner	Please provide the name of the co-user and licence number of the co-user (if known).
		Family name	
		Given names	
		Licence number  Co-user Ple	ase provide the name of the primary
			ner and the licence number of the primary ner (if known).
		Family name	iler (ii kilowii).
		Given names	
		Licence number	
		☐ Club armourer	Please provide the name of the club or association for which you are the armourer. You must provide a club support letter that nominates you as the club armourer.
		Name of club	or association
32.	How do	you intend to obtain	this firearm?
		ase from dealer	
	☐ Privat	e sale	
	□ Co-us	e with owner	
	☐ Trans	ferred ownership	
	☐ Club o	owned	

33.	Is this fi	irearm curre	ntly licensed in WA?
	□ Yes	Please pro	vide the current licence number.
	□ No	Please ind firearm.	icate which of the following best describes this
		☐ Importe	ed from outside Australia
		☐ Intersta	ite transfer
		☐ Curren	tly unlicensed
		☐ Other	Please provide details below.
Section	on 6. Sto	rage arrang	gements for this firearm
34.	Is this a	pplication fo	or an original licence?
	☐ Yes	• • •	lication is successful you will be asked to provide a eclaration relating to your storage arrangements for
	□ No	-	orage arrangements sufficient to store the firearms attion for which you already have a licence and this
		□ Yes	Please complete the details of storage arrangements below.
		□ No	You cannot proceed with this application. Please contact Police Licensing Services on 1300 171 011.

Details	of storage arrangements for curre	ent firearms	
-	rage arrangements comply with the A		973 and the
Firearn	ns Regulations 1974. I have the following	owing —	
	A lockable cabinet or contai specification set out in the <i>F</i> Schedule 4.		
	☐ Other storage facilities descri	ibed below.	
The add	dress where my licensed firearms are  my residential address  as set out below	e stored is —	
Ţ	Unit number/Lot number/Floor level	Street Numb	er
S	Street name	Street type in Avenue, Cou	n full (e.g. Road, art)
S	Suburb/Town/Locality	State	Postcode

#### Application for licence under r. 3BA 2A.

Western Australia		lia	Application for licence under
Firear	ms Act 19	073	Firearms Regulations 1974 r. 3BA <sup>1</sup>
Section	on 1. Typ	e of application and d	letails of previous licence
1.	What typ	e of licence are you app	plying for? (Tick only one)
	□ 1. Fire	earm licence	
	□ 2. Fire	earm collector's licence	
	□ 3. Am	munition collector's lic	ence
2.		ion collector's licence y	rearm collector's licence or you previously held under the <i>Firearms</i>
	Previous	licence number	Date of last expiry
		e applying for a firearm o to question 3.	licence or a firearm collector's
	If you are question		unition collector's licence go to
3.	your prev		each firearm named and identified in firearm collector's licence as at the
	Are you	applying for a licence for	or each firearm listed in Attachment 1?
	□ Yes		
	□ No		(by reference to the Serial No.) each hment 1 for which you are not applying plication.

Section	on 2. Details of applicant		
4.	Your name		
	Family name	All given names	
5.	Residential address		
	Unit number/Lot number/ Floor level	Street Number	
	Street name	Street type in ful Court)	l (e.g. Road, Avenue,
	Suburb/Town/Locality	State	Postcode
<ul><li>6.</li><li>7.</li></ul>	Is the address above your perma  ☐ Yes ☐ No Is your postal address the same a ☐ Yes Go to question 9.		
	☐ No Complete your postal a	address below.	
8.	Postal address		
	Unit number/Lot number/ Floor level/PO Box/RMB/ Locked Bag	Street Number	
	Street name	Street type in ful Court)	l (e.g. Road, Avenue,
	Suburb/Town/Locality	State	Postcode

9.	Is the ad	dress abov	e your perma	nent postal address?
	□ Yes			
	□ No			
10.	Have yo	u been kno	own by any of	ther name(s)?
	□ Yes	Please pr below.	ovide the oth	er names that you have been known by
	□ No	Go to qu	estion 11.	
	Family N	Name		All given names
	Family N	Vame		All given names
	Family N	Name		All given names
11.	Date of 1	birth		
	~			
12.	Contact Telephon			
	Home		Work	Mobile
	Email ac	ldress		

Secti	on 3. His	tory of applicant
13.	could aft	st 5 years have you been treated for any medical condition that fect your fitness to hold a licence under the <i>Firearms Act 1973</i> orly used prescription medication or other drugs?
	☐ Yes	Please provide details below.
	□ No	Go to question 14.
14.		nave any physical or mental condition that could affect your o hold a licence under the <i>Firearms Act 1973</i> ?
	☐ Yes	Please provide details below.
	□ No	Go to question 15.
	must com	plete Sections 4 and 5 if your application includes the lirearm.
Secti	on 4. Fir	earms included in application
15.	applying firearm t	et of each firearm listed in Attachment 1 for which you are g for a licence, is your reason for wanting to possess the he same reason you had for possessing the firearm when you lied for your previous licence?
	☐ Yes	Go to question 17.
	□ No	Go to question 16.

16.	-	ce, what is	ed in Attachment 1 for which you are s your current reason for wanting to
	☐ Club use		You must provide a club support letter confirming that you are a member of an approved shooting club or association.
	☐ Recreational/Hu	nt/Shoot	You must provide evidence that you have written permission from a landowner to hunt or shoot on his or her land.
	☐ Occupational use Primary producer		You must provide evidence confirming that you are the owner of land on which the firearm will be used.
	☐ Occupational use Nominee of prima producer		You must provide evidence confirming that you have permission of the primary producer to use the firearm on land owned by the primary producer.
	☐ Occupational use Other	e —	You must provide an occupational support document.
	□ Collector	for which	t of each firearm listed in Attachment 1 n you are applying for a licence, what is rent reason for wanting to possess the
			Significant commemorative value
			Significant historical value
			Significant heirloom value
			Significant thematic value
		sel	ease provide further details about your ected reason in support of your plication below.

			Is the firearm	a handgun	?
			□ Yes	Was the	handgun manufactured 46?
				□ Yes	Are you a student of arms?
					□ Yes
					□ No
			□ No	Please p	provide further details
				about th	e firearm below.
	□ Other	use	Please provide	e details of	f the other use below.
17.	applying need you	g for a licen	nce, is your need	to posses	nt 1 for which you are s the firearm the same you first applied for your
	☐ Yes	Go to que	estion 19.		
	□ No	Go to que	estion 18.		
18.					nt 1 for which you are eed for the firearm?

19.		g for a licence, are you a	in Attachment 1 for which you are applying to be the sole licensee for the
	□ Yes	Go to question 20.	
	□No		arm for which you will not be the sole the option below that will describe
	□ Prima	ary owner	Please provide the name of the co-user and licence number of the co-user (if known).
	Family 1	name	
	Given n	ames	
	Licence	number	
	□ Co-us	ser	Please provide the name of the primary owner and the licence number of the primary owner (if known).
	Family 1	name	
	Given n	ames	
	Licence	number	
Secti	ion 5. Sto	rage arrangements for	firearms included in application
20.	applying the same	g for a licence, are your	in Attachment 1 for which you are storage arrangements for the firearm you had when you first applied for your
	□ Yes	Go to section 6.	
	□ No	Go to question 21.	

21.	In respect of each firearm listed in Atapplying for a licence, please provide arrangements for the firearm:		
The a	address where my firearms are stored is	s —	
	☐ my residential address		
	□ as set out below		
	Unit number/Lot number/Floor level	Street Number	
	Street name	Street type in full (e.g. Road, Avenue, Court)	
	Suburb/Town/Locality	State Postcode	
	Bubaro, Town, Locality	State Tostcode	
Secti	on 6. Statutory declaration by applic		
Secti I,	•		
I,	•	icant	
I, [nam since	on 6. Statutory declaration by applic	naking the declaration]  provided by me in this application	on
I, [nam since and i This	on 6. Statutory declaration by application of person materially declare that all of the information	naking the declaration]  provided by me in this application rect.  an offence to make a declaration	
I, [nam since and i This know This	on 6. Statutory declaration by applied to a statutory declaration by applied to a statutory declaration of person materials and a statutory declaration is true and I know that it is	naking the declaration]  provided by me in this application rect.  an offence to make a declaration lar.  Affidavits and Statutory	
I, [nam since and i This know This Decle	on 6. Statutory declaration by applied to a declaration by applied to a declaration of person material declaration is true and I know that it is bying that it is false in a material particular declaration is made under the Oaths, A.	provided by me in this application rect.  an offence to make a declaration lar.  Affidavits and Statutory by —	
I, [nam since and i This know This Decle [Sign	on 6. Statutory declaration by applied to a declaration of person material declare that all of the information in every attachment to it is true and correct declaration is true and I know that it is giving that it is false in a material particul declaration is made under the Oaths, A declarations Act 2005 at [place] on [date] is	provided by me in this application rect.  an offence to make a declaration lar.  Affidavits and Statutory by —	
I, [nam since and i This know This Decle [Sign in the	te, address and occupation of person material declare that all of the information in every attachment to it is true and corrected action is true and I know that it is being that it is false in a material particular declaration is made under the Oaths, A parations Act 2005 at [place] on [date] because of person making the declaration	provided by me in this application rect.  an offence to make a declaration lar.  Affidavits and Statutory by —	

Attachment 1 — Firearms named and identified in previous firearm licence or firearm collector's licence					
(Attach to Form 2A for an application for firearm licence or firearm collector's licence)					
Firearm 1 details					
Serial Nos.	Primary				
	Secondary				
Manufacturer and model					
Action type					
Calibre					

#### Notes to Form 2A —

- If there is not enough space for any details required, put the details on 1. a separate piece of paper and attach it to this form.
- 2. You cannot make an application under r. 3BA in respect of a firearm that is not listed in Attachment 1.

[Form 2A inserted: Gazette 5 Jul 2011 p. 2828-33.]

### 2. Firearm awareness certificate

Western Australia	Firearm awareness certificate			
Firearms Act 1973				
Section 1. Details of person to whom	ı certificate is issued			
Family name	All given names			
Unit number/Lot number/Floor level	Street Number			
Street name	Street type in full (e.g. Road, Avenue, Court)			
Suburb/Town/Locality	State Postcode			
Section 2. Details of assessor				
Family name	All given names			
Name of association/club/dealer conducting the test				
Address of association/club/dealer Unit number/Lot number/Floor level	Street Number			
Street name	Street type in full (e.g. Road, Avenue, Court)			
Suburb/Town/Locality	State Postcode			
Licence number of association/club/dealer  Assessor's position in organisation				

### Certification

I certify that on ....../...... the person named in section 1 above successfully completed in my presence a firearm safety test in accordance with the requirements set out in the Firearms Act 1973 and the Firearms Regulations 1974.

Signature of assessor

**Date** 

How many attempts were made to complete the test?

[Form 2 inserted: Gazette 6 Nov 2009 p. 4438-9.]

#### **3.** Firearm serviceability certificate

Western Australia		Firearm serviceability certificate			
Firearms Act 1973		Certificate No.			
Firearm details					
Manufacturer					
Model					
Firearm type		Firearm category			
Ammunition type		Calibre			
Loading method					
Primary Serial No.		Secondary Serial No.			
Magazine type		Magazine capacity			
Is the firearm a handgun		Barrel length (handguns only)			
Licensing details	of firearm				
1. Current own	er of firearm				
Family name		All given names			
Unit number/Lot number/ Floor level		Street Number			
Street name		Street type in full (e.g. Road, Avenue, Court)			
Suburb/Town/Locality		State Postcode			
Dealer licence No. (if any)					
2. Is the firearm to be imported into WA? Yes/No					
3. Is this firear	Is this firearm currently licensed in WA? Yes/No				
If yes, please	e provide licence nu	mber below.			

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Details of person inspecting firearm			
Family name	All given names		
Unit number/Lot number/Floor level	Street Number		
Street name	Street type in full (e.g. Road, Avenue, Court)		
Suburb/Town/Locality	State	Postcode	
Licence number of association/club/deal	er		
Declaration			
I am —			
☐ a licensed firearm dealer			
☐ a licensed firearm manufacturer			
☐ a licensed firearm repairer			
☐ an authorised member of an approved club			
☐ a Police Officer			
I certify that I have examined the firearm (please mark each relevant box).	n described above and	d confirm that	
☐ the details of the firearm are correctly	described		
☐ the firearm is fitted with an effective trigger guard			
☐ the firearm is in complete condition without missing parts or components			
☐ the firearm has no visible flaws or defects that could affect its operation			
□ the firearm is fitted with stocks/grips that are serviceable			
☐ the firearm has a trigger mechanism the one kg is exerted on the mechanism		when a force of	
☐ the firearm is fitted with an appropriate	te safety mechanism		
	ž		
Signature	Date		

[Form 3 inserted: Gazette 6 Nov 2009 p. 4439-41; amended: SL 2022/40 r. 5(2).]

[Forms 4 and 5 deleted: Gazette 6 Nov 2009 p. 4425.]

Form 6			

## 6. **Application for permit (Act s. 17 or 17A)** FORM 6 Western Australia Firearms Act 1973 Application for permit under Act s. 17 or 17A Part A $^1$ **Application** I (Surname first) of Postcode (Home address) \_\_\_\_\_Postcode \_\_\_\_ (Postal address) Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_ Mobile \_\_\_\_ Telephones Email address [Complete if application is for a s. 17 permit.] apply for a permit under the Firearms Act 1973 s. 17 to \*possess/\*possess and use the firearm and ammunition described in each Part B of this application -(\* delete if inapplicable) for the period beginning on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_ and ending on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_ ; and for these purposes.<sup>6</sup>

[Complete if application is for a s. 17A permit.]
in my capacity as <sup>2</sup>
of the club, body or organisation described in Part C of this application, apply for an interstate group permit under the <i>Firearms Act 1973</i> s. 17A for the firearm and ammunition described in each Part B of this application —
• for the period beginning on 20 and ending on 20 ;
and
• for the group and the purposes <sup>6</sup> described in Part C of this application.
A Part B of this application is attached for each firearm and related
ammunition for which a permit is wanted.
Applicant's background
Previous home
address <sup>2</sup> Postcode
Date of birth Place of birth
1. Have you ever held a licence under the Act? Yes/No
2. Have you ever been known by a previous name? <sup>3</sup> Yes/No
If yes, state the name(s)
3. Have you ever lived outside WA? Yes/No
If yes, state when
and where
4. Do you hold a licence under the Act? Yes/No
If yes, state the No and expiry date
5. Have you ever been refused a licence to possess a firearm anywhere?
Yes/No
If yes, state when and where
6. Has a licence held by you to possess a firearm ever been cancelled anywhere? Yes/No
7. Have you ever been disqualified anywhere from holding a licence to possess a firearm? Yes/No
8. Have you been convicted anywhere of any offence(s) (including traffic offence(s))? Yes/No
If yes, state details

If yes, state

the licence No.(s)

the name(s) and address(es) of the licence holder(s)

If no	, state			
whe	re firearm is l	icensed		
the l	icence No.(s)			
	name(s) and a	` ′		
of th	e licence hole	der(s)		
<b>n</b> . a1.				
•	tach to Parts			4- J
Name	ub, body or (	organisation ic	or which permit i	s wanted
Address			Posto	rode
Telephone		Ema		
Members in				
Surname	group	Other names	Home address	
Burname			Trome address	
Contest or a	activity in W	<b>A</b> <sup>6</sup>		
Description				
Date(s)				
Place(s)				
Organised in	WA by			
Contact per	son			
Name				
Address			Posto	code
Telephones	Home	Work	Mol	oile
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		space for any d r and attach it t	etails required, pu o this form.	t the details on a
	omplete this i n 2 years.	f you have been	n at your current h	ome address for
3. If you ha	ve never beer	n known by and	ther name, state	Nil'.
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### Form 6

- 4. If a licence is wanted for 2 or more firearms, fill out a Part B for each firearm and attach it to Part A.
- 5. Firearm type: e.g. rifle, shotgun, handgun.

Action type: e.g. revolving chamber, bolt action.

Loading method: e.g. single-shot, repeater.

Ammunition type: e.g. rim-fire, air/gas pellet.

Barrel configuration: e.g. single, double.

Magazine capacity: e.g. category C1.

6. See *Firearms Act 1973* s. 11A.

[Form 6 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5749-53.]

# 7. Request to police to take custody of firearm or ammunition $(Act\ s.\ 33(3))$

# FORM 7

Western Australia

Firearms Act 1973

Request to police to take custody o	f firearm or ammunition (Act s. 33(3))
Part A <sup>1</sup>	
Application	
I	
(Surname first)	
	Postcode
(Home address)	
	Postcode
(Postal address)	
Telephones Home Wo	ork Mobile
- ·	
Date of birth	
I request the Commissioner of Police	
•	ch Part B of this application. I attach a
Part B for each firearm to wh	
☐ The ammunition described be	•
The reasons for the request are —	
Details of person to be contacted if	annligant is absent
Name	applicant is absent
(Surname first)	
(Sumuno mos)	
(II	Postcode
(Home address)	
	Postcode
(Postal address)	

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orm 7				
Telephones Hor	ne	Work	Mobile	
Email address				
Applicant's certifi				
I certify that all of to it is true and cor misleading informa	rect. I know it i			
Applicant's signature			Date	
Witness's details	Surname			
	Given names			
	Signature		Date	
Part B 1, 2, 3 (attach	,			
Details of firearm	and ammuniti	on <sup>4, 5</sup>	1	
Firearm ID No.		Firea categ		
Firearm type			on type	
Loading method			ıfacturer nodel	
Serial Nos.	Primary	Calib	+	
	Secondary			
Ammunition type		Barre	el	
31			guration	
Magazine capacity		Barre	el length	
Ammunition quant	ity			
Licence details	-			
Licence No.(s)				
Name(s) and				
address(es) of the	<u></u>			
licence holder(s)				

### Notes to Form 7 —

- 1. If there is not enough space for any details required, put the details on a separate piece of paper and attach it to this form.
- 2. If police custody is wanted for 2 or more firearms, fill out a Part B for each firearm and attach it to Part A.
- 3. Firearm type: e.g. rifle, shotgun, handgun.

Action type: e.g. revolving chamber, bolt action.

Loading method: e.g. single-shot, repeater.

Ammunition type: e.g. rim-fire, air/gas pellet.

Barrel configuration: e.g. single, double.

Magazine capacity: e.g. category C1.

[Form 7 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5753-5.]

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#### 8. Application for issue or replacement of extract of licence (r. 7A and 8)

### FORM 8

### Western Australia

Firearms Act 1973

Application for issue or replacement of extract of licence

Applicant's	s current person	al details	
Name	Surname		
	Given names	<u> </u>	
Date of birtl	h	Place of birtl	h
Home addre			
			Postcode
Postal addre	ess		
			Postcode
Telephones			Mobile
Email addre	ess		
Applicant's	s current licence		
Licence	Туре		
	No		
	Expires		
Application			
I apply for t	he —		
☐ grant o	f an extract of lic	ence.	
☐ renewa	al of my extract of	f licence.	
	•	or my extract of lice * delete if inapplicable]	ence because it has been

Ar	op	lica	nt'	S C	ert	ifi	cat	te
----	----	------	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	----

I certify that all of the information in this application and in every attachment to it is true and correct. I know it is an offence to provide incorrect or misleading information.

Applicant's signature		Date
Witness's details	Surname Given names	
	Signature	Date

[Form 8 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5755-6.]

# 9. Firearm licence

Western Australia		Firearm licence			
Firearms Act 1973	3 s. 16(1)(a)		No.		
			<b>Expires on</b>		
This licence is no	t valid unless a	recei	pt is printed on it	or attached to it.	
each firearm name subject to the Act	ed and identified and any restriction	belo	e to possess, carry a w, and ammunition mitation or condition		
Licensee's details					
Name	Surname				
	Given names				
Date of birth					
Home address	Postcode				
Signature					
Firearm 1 details	and conditions				
Firearm ID No.			Firearm category		
Firearm type			Action type		
Loading method			Manufacturer and model		
Serial Nos.	Primary		Calibre		
	Secondary				
Ammunition type			Barrel configuration		
Magazine capacity			Barrel length		
Conditions					

[Form 9 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5756-7.]

# 10. Firearm collector's licence

Western Australia		Firearm collector's licence			
Firearms Act 1973	3 s. 16(1)(b)		No.		
			Expires on		
This licence is no	t valid unless a	recei	pt is printed on it	or attached to it.	
			the licensee to possed below, subject to	sess, but not to carry the Act.	
Licensee's details	}				
Name	Surname				
	Given names				
Date of birth					
Home address					
				Postcode	
Signature					
Firearm 1 details	and conditions				
Firearm ID No.			Firearm category		
Firearm type			Action type		
Loading method			Manufacturer and model		
Serial Nos.	Primary		Calibre		
	Secondary				
Ammunition type			Barrel configuration		
Magazine capacity			Barrel length		

[Form 10 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5757-8.]

# 11. Corporate licence

Western Australia		Corporate licence		
Firearms Act 1973	3 s. 16(1)(c)	No.		
		Expires on		
This licence is no	t valid unless a recei	pt is printed on it	or attached to it.	
	ence entitles the licenary			
Licensee's details	<b>.</b>			
Name				
ACN (if any)		ABN (if any)		
Trading name				
Address				
			Postcode	
Firearm 1 details	and conditions			
Firearm ID No.		Firearm category		
Firearm type		Action type		
Loading method		Manufacturer and model		
Serial Nos.	Primary	Calibre		
	Secondary			
Ammunition type		Barrel configuration		
Magazine capacity		Barrel length		

[Form 11 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5758-9.]

# 12. Dealer's licence

Western Australia			Dealer's licence		
Firearms Act 1973	3 s. 16(1)(d)		No.		
			<b>Expires on</b>		
This licence is no	t valid unless a ı	recei	pt is printed on it	or attached to it.	
	amed and identifi	ed b	te to deal in firearm elow, and to do those to the Act.		
Licensee's details	(if body corpor	ate	or partnership)		
Name			1		
ACN (if any)			ABN (if any)		
Address					
				Postcode	
Licensee's details	(if natural pers	son)			
Name	Surname				
	Given names				
Date of birth					
Home address					
				Postcode	
Signature					
Licensee's busine	ess details				
Trading name					
ABN					
Business address					
				Postcode	
Premises to which	h licence applies	5			
Address					
				Postcode	

[Form 12 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5759-60.]

# 13. Repairer's licence

Western Australia			Repairer's licence		
Firearms Act 1973	3 s. 16(1)(e)		No.		
			Expires on		
This licence is no	t valid unless a	recei	pt is printed on it	or attached to it.	
ammunition for the	ose firearms on t her things specifi	the pri ied in			
Licensee's details	(if body corpor	rate (	or partnership)		
Name			1	_	
ACN (if any)			ABN (if any)		
Address					
				Postcode	
Licensee's details	(if natural pers	son)			
Name	Surname				
	Given names				
Date of birth					
Home address					
				Postcode	
Signature					
Licensee's busine	ess details				
Trading name					
ABN					
Business address					
				Postcode	
Premises to which	h licence applies	s			
Address					
				Postcode	

[Form 13 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5760-1.]

# 14. Manufacturer's licence

Western Australia			Manufacturer's licence				
Firearms Act 1973 s. 16(1)(f)			No.				
			Expires on				
This licence is no	t valid unless a	recei	pt is printed on it	or attached to it.			
This manufacturer's licence entitles the licensee to manufacture firearms or ammunition of the kind specified below on the premises named and identified below, and to do those other things specified in the Act s. 16(1)(f), subject to the Act.							
Licensee's details	s (if body corpor	rate o	or partnership)				
Name							
ACN (if any)			ABN (if any)				
Address							
				Postcode			
Licensee's details	s (if natural pers	son)					
Name	Surname						
	Given names						
Date of birth							
Home address				Postcode			
Signature							
Licensee's busine	ess details						
Trading name							
ABN							
Business address							
				Postcode			
Firearm(s) or am	munition that c	an b	e manufactured				
Firearm(s)							
Ammunition							
Premises to which	h licence applies	S					
Address							
			F	Postcode			
Conditions							

[Form 14 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5761-2.]

# 15. Shooting gallery licence

Western Australia			Shooting gallery licence					
Firearms Act 1973 s. 16(1)(g)			No.					
			Expires on					
This licence is n	ot valid unless a	recei	pt is printed on	it or attached to it.				
	This shooting gallery licence entitles the licensee to conduct a shooting gallery in accordance with the regulations on the premises specified below, subject to the Act.							
Licensee's detail	ls (if body corpor	ate	or partnership)					
Name								
ACN (if any)			ABN (if any)					
Address								
				Postcode				
Licensee's detai	ls (if natural pers	son)						
Name	Surname							
	Given names							
Date of birth								
Home address								
				Postcode				
Signature								
Licensee's busin	ess details							
Trading name								
ABN								
Business								
address				Postcode				
Premises to whi	ch licence applies	S						
Address								
				Postcode				

[Form 15 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5762-3.]

# 16. Ammunition collector's licence

Western Australia			Ammunition collector's licence				
Firearms Act 1973	3 s. 16(1)(h)		No.				
			Expires on				
This licence is not	t valid unless a r	ecei	pt is printed on it or attached to it.				
This ammunition collector's licence entitles the licensee to possess and carry, but not to use, ammunition not exceeding the quantity (if any) specified below and not being of a type prescribed as being ammunition to which an ammunition collector's licence does not apply, subject to the Act.							
Licensee's details	<b>,</b>						
Name	Surname						
	Given names						
Date of birth							
Home address							
	Postcode						
Signature							
Ammunition quantity							
Conditions							

[Form 16 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5763.]

#### **17.** Permit (Act s. 17)

Western Australia		A	Act s. 17 permit						
Firearms Act 1973	3 s. 17	ľ	No.						
Part A — Permit and issuing details									
This permit entitles the holder to possess temporarily the firearm or ammunition specified below for the purpose and for the period specified below, subject to the Act.									
Permit holder's details									
Name	Surname								
	Given names								
Date of birth									
Home address	Home address Postcode								
Signature									
Permit details									
Purpose									
Period	From		to (b	oth dates inclusive)					
Issuing details	1								
Issuing officer	Name								
	Rank		Reg. No.						
	Signature		Date						
Part B — Firear	m and ammunitio	on d	etails						
Firearm 1 details				T					
Firearm ID No.			Firearm category						
Firearm type			Action type						
Loading method			Manufacturer and model						
Serial Nos.									
	Secondary								

### Form 17

Ammunition type	Barrel configuration
Magazine capacity	Barrel length
Ammunition detail	5
Description	
Quantity	

[Form 17 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5764-5.]

#### 18. **Interstate group permit (Act s. 17A)**

Western Australia			Interstate group permit				
Firearms Act 1973	s. 17A		No.				
Part A — Permit	and issuing	details					
This interstate groupossess or carry the those firearms for the member were the he	firearms na	s(s) and $s(s)$	l identifi period s	ied below a	nd ammunition for		
Permit holder's de	tails						
Details of club or organisation	Name Address Postcode						
Members in group	Surname	Given r	namec	Address	ouc		
Wembers in group	Sumane	GIVEIII	ianics	Tiddiess			
Permit details	l	I		l .			
Occasion(s)							
Period	From		to	(bo	oth dates inclusive)		
Conditions							
Issuing details							
Issuing officer	Name						
	Rank			Reg.	No.		
	Signature			Date			
Part B — Firearm	and amm	unition (	details				
Firearm 1 details					Τ		
Firearm ID No.				arm gory			
Firearm type			Acti	ion type			
Loading method				nufacturer model			

### Form 18

Serial Nos.	Primary	Calibre	
	Secondary		
Ammunition type		Barrel configuration	
Magazine capacity		Barrel length	

[Form 18 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5765-6.]

# 19. Ammunition sales book (r. 17)

Allilli		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	CD 10	0011	(	 		 				
Ammunition sales book (r. 17) <sup>1</sup>	I certify that all of the details in columns 1 to 7 conocite	are true and	Signature	9.								
ion sales bo	I certify that all of the detain of the detains	my signature are true and correct.	Name	∞.								
Ammuniti			ammunition supplied	7.								
	upplied	Quantity		6.								
	Particulars of Ammunition supplied	Date		5.								
		which ammunition	required	4.								
		Licence or	permit number or	3.								
australia 4 <i>ct 1973</i>	Persons for whom ammunition required	Address		2.								
Western Australia Firearms Act 1973	Persons for wł	Name		1.								

Notes to Form 19 —

1. This book must be completed by a licensed dealer. [Form 19 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5767.]

# 20. Monthly return by dealer or repairer (stock received) (r. 18)

Western Australia		Monthly return by dealer or					
Firearms Act 1973		repairer (stock received) 1					
Dealer or repairer	details						
Trading name							
Licence No.		ABN					
<b>Details of firearms</b>	and major firearr	n parts brought ir	to stock in the				
month of		20					
Transaction No. 1 –							
Date							
Received from	Name						
	Address						
	Licence/Permit No	Э.					
	If person exempt f	From licence, state v	why.				
Item received	*Firearm/Major fi	rearm part	[*Delete if inapplicable]				
Reason	*Purchased/For re	pair	[*Delete if inapplicable]				
Firearm details —							
Firearm ID No.		Firearm					
		category					
Firearm type		Action type					
Loading method		Manufacturer					
Country of		Make and					
manufacture		model					
Serial Nos.	Primary	Calibre					
	Secondary						
Ammunition type		Barrel					
		configuration					
Magazine capacity		Barrel length					
Major firearm part details —							
Description							

# Dealer's or repairer's certificate

I certify that all of the information in this return and in every attachment to it is true and correct. I know it is an offence to provide incorrect or misleading information.

Signed Date

Notes to Form 20 —

1. If there is not enough space for any details required, put the details on a separate piece of paper and attach it to this form.

[Form 20 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5768-9; amended: Gazette 5 Apr 2016 p. 1027.]

#### 21. Monthly return by dealer or repairer (stock outgoing) (r. 18)

Western Australia		Monthly return by dealer or						
Firearms Act 1973	repairer (stock outgoing) <sup>1</sup>							
Dealer or repairer details								
Trading name								
Licence No.		ABN						
Details of firearms	and major firearn	n parts repaired and delivered, sold						
or let on hire in the	e month of	20						
Transaction No. 1 –	_							
Date								
Delivered, sold or	Name							
hired to	Address							
	Licence/Permit No	).						
	If person exempt f	rom licence, state why.						
Item	*Firearm/Major fir	rearm part [*Delete if inapplicable]						
Reason	*Repaired and dela	vered/Sold/Hired [*Delete if inapplicable]						
Firearm details —								
Firearm ID No.		Firearm category						
Firearm type		Action type						
Loading method		Manufacturer and model						
Serial Nos.	Primary	Calibre						
	Secondary							
Ammunition type		Barrel configuration						
Magazine capacity	acity Barrel length							
Major firearm part of	letails —							
Description								

# Dealer's or repairer's certificate

I certify that all of the information in this return and in every attachment to it is true and correct. I know it is an offence to provide incorrect or misleading information.

Signed Date

Notes to Form 21 —

1. If there is not enough space for any details required, put the details on a separate piece of paper and attach it to this form.

[Form 21 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5769-70.]

#### 22. Storage statement (r. 11C)

Western Australia				Storage statement (statutory			
Fire	earms Act 1973			declaration)			
Pers	son making stat	tutory declara	tion				
Nan	ne	Surname					
		Given names					
		Occupation					
Date	e of birth						
Hon	ne address						
				Postcode			
Stat	utory declarati	on					
I, th	e person describ	ed above, since	erely	declare as follows —			
				on in my possession is stored in ons 1974 r. 11A, I have —			
				scribed below that at least meets the le 4 of those regulations.			
□				r described below that is securely tainer, in which to store ammunition.			
	Description of	storage arrange	men	ts —			
	Other storage facilities as follows —						
The storage facilities are located at — Unit number/Lot number/ Floor level				Street Number			
Street name				Street type in full (e.g. Road, Avenue, Court)			

### Form 22

Subu	arb/Town/Locality	State		Postcode					
□	Proof of purchase/fitting of the storage facilities is attached.								
	Photographs of the storage facilities including the anchor points of the cabinet or container are attached.								
knov	This declaration is true and I know that it is an offence to make a declaration knowing that it is false in a material particular.  This declaration is made under the <i>Oaths</i> , <i>Affidavits and Statutory</i>								
Decl	arations Act 2005 at	on	20	by —					
	ature e presence of this authorised wit	tness —							
Witness's signature									
Nam	ne								
Oual	lification as authorised witness								

[Form 22 inserted: Gazette 6 Nov 2009 p. 4441-3.]

# 23. Infringement notice (Act s. 19A)

Western Australia			Infringement notice (expired	
Firearms Act 1973			licence)	
			No.	
Licence holder	Surname			
	Given names			
	Date of birth			
	Address			
Licence details	Туре			
	No.			
	Expired on			
Notice to licence holder	The above licence held by you expired on the above date a was not renewed in the 3 months following that date. As a result it may be alleged you are contravening the Act s. 19. If you want the alleged offence dealt with in court, ignore this notice.  If you do not want to be prosecuted for the alleged offence —  (a) pay the Commissioner of Police \$ by way of penalty for the alleged offence; and			
	(b) get the licence renewed by applying to the police station nearest to where you live and paying the renewal fee,			
	within 28 days after the date you are served with this notice.			
	See over for how	to p	ay.	
	of an offence un	der 1	nount will not constitute a conviction the Act and will not be regarded as allity for or affect any civil court case.	
Officer issuing	Name			
this notice	Office held		Reg. No.	
	Station/squad			

[Form 23 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5771-2.]

# 24. Infringement notice withdrawal (Act s. 19A)

Western Australia		Withdrawal of infringement notice		
Firearms Act 1973		No.		
Licence holder	Surname			
	Given names			
	Date of birth			
	Address			
Licence details	Туре			
	No.			
Infringement	No.			
notice	Date issued			
Notice to licence holder	The above infringement notice, which was issued in relation to the expiry of the above licence, has been withdrawn.			
Date of this notice				
Officer issuing	Name			
this notice	Office held		Reg. No.	
	Station/squad			

[Form 24 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5772.]

# 25. Application for search warrant (Act s. 26(1))

Western Australia		Application for search warrant			
Firearms Act 1973 s.	26(1)				
Applicant's details	Name				
	Office held	Reg. No.			
	Station/squad				
Suspected offence(s)	Date				
	Place				
	Act name and s	ection			
	Description				
Thing(s) to be searched for	Description of any firearm, ammunition, silencer etc. involved.				
Place to be searched	Description				
	Address				
Grounds	I suspect the above thing(s) —				
	□ were involved in the above offence;				
	<ul> <li>will afford evidence of the commission of the above offence;</li> </ul>				
	□ will be used to commit the above offence.				
	I suspect the above thing(s) are at the above place.				
	My grounds for suspecting these matters are —				
	1.				
Application	I apply for a search warrant to be issued under the Act s. 26(1) to search the above place for the above things.				
	I [insert an oath or affirmation according to the Oaths, Affidavits and Statutory Declarations Act 2005] that the information in this application is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.				
	Signed	Date			
Witness's details	Name				
	Office Justice of the Peace				
	Signature	Date			

[Form 25 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5773.]

# **26.** Application for search warrant (Act s. 26(2))

Western Australia		Application for search warrant			
Firearms Act 1973 s. 26(2)					
Applicant's details	Name				
	Office held	Reg. No.			
	Station/squad				
Thing(s) to be searched for	Description of any firearm or ammunition				
Person in	Surname				
possession of things Given names					
Place to be	Description				
searched	Address				
Grounds	I suspect the above thing(s) are in the possession of the above person and —				
	possession of the thing(s) by that person may result in harm being suffered by any person;				
	that person is not a fit and proper person to be in possession of the thing(s).				
	My grounds for suspecting these matters are —				
	1.				
Application	I apply for a search warrant to be issued under the Act s. 26(2) to search the above place for the above things.				
	I [insert an oath or affirmation according to the Oaths, Affidavits and Statutory Declarations Act 2005] that the information in this application is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.				
	Signed Date				
Witness's details	Name				
	Office	Justice of the Peace			
	Signature	Date			

[Form 26 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5774.]

# 27. Search warrant (Act s. 26(1))

Western Australia	Search warrant					
Firearms Act 1973						
То	All police officers					
Application	The applicant has applied under the <i>Firearms Act 1973</i>					
	s. 26(1) to me, a Justice of the Peace, for a search warrant.					
Applicant's details	Name					
	Office held			Reg. N	o.	
	Station/squad					
Suspected	Date					
offence(s)	Place					
	Act name and se	ection				
	Description					
Warrant	This warrant aut	•				•
	described below for the thing(s) described below, and to					
	seize any such thing found and take it before a Justice of					
	the Peace to be o	lealt with ac	cordin	g to law	<b>'</b> •	
Thing(s) to be						
searched for	D : .:					
Place to be searched	Description					
	Address					
Issuing details	Name of JP				I	
TD1	Date			Time		.•
JP's signature	Issued by me on the above date and at the above time.					
	Justice of the Peace					
Execution details		ime	End	Date	Ti	me
	Occupier present? Yes/No					
	Search audiovisually recorded? Yes/No					
	Thing(s) seized?	Yes/No				
Officer in charge	Name			ı		
of execution	Office held			Reg. N	o.	
	Station/squad					

[Form 27 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5775.]

### 28. Search warrant (Act s. 26(2))

Western Australia			Search warrant		
Firearms Act 1973 s. 26(2)					
All police officers					
The applicant ha	s applied ur	nder th	e Firear	ms Act 1973	
s. 26(2) to me, a	Justice of the	he Pea	ce, for a	search warrant.	
Name					
Office held			Reg. N	0.	
Station/squad					
Date					
Place					
Act name and se	ection				
Description					
This warrant authorises you to enter and search the place described below for the thing(s) described below for the purposes of exercising the powers in section 24(2) of the Act.					
Description of any firearm, ammunition, silencer etc. involved					
Description					
Address					
Name of JP					
Date			Time		
		late an	d at the	above time.	
Start Date	Time	End	Date	Time	
Occupier present? Yes/No					
Search audiovisually recorded? Yes/No					
Thing(s) seized? Yes/No					
Name					
Office held	Reg. No.		0.		
Station/squad			_		
	All police office The applicant ha s. 26(2) to me, a Name Office held Station/squad Date Place Act name and se Description This warrant aut described below purposes of exer Act. Description of ar involved Description Address Name of JP Date Issued by me on  Justice of the Pe Start Date Occupier presen Search audiovist Thing(s) seized? Name Office held	All police officers  The applicant has applied ur s. 26(2) to me, a Justice of th  Name  Office held  Station/squad  Date  Place  Act name and section  Description  This warrant authorises you described below for the thin purposes of exercising the p  Act.  Description of any firearm, a involved  Description  Address  Name of JP  Date  Issued by me on the above of Justice of the Peace  Start Date Time  Occupier present? Yes/No  Search audiovisually record.  Thing(s) seized? Yes/No  Name  Office held	All police officers  The applicant has applied under the s. 26(2) to me, a Justice of the Pear Name  Office held  Station/squad  Date  Place  Act name and section  Description  This warrant authorises you to ented described below for the thing(s) depurposes of exercising the powers Act.  Description of any firearm, ammuninvolved  Description  Address  Name of JP  Date  Issued by me on the above date and Justice of the Peace  Start Date Time End  Occupier present? Yes/No  Search audiovisually recorded? Yes Thing(s) seized? Yes/No  Name  Office held	All police officers  The applicant has applied under the Firears. 26(2) to me, a Justice of the Peace, for a Name  Office held Reg. N  Station/squad  Date Place Act name and section Description  This warrant authorises you to enter and sedescribed below for the thing(s) described purposes of exercising the powers in section Act.  Description of any firearm, ammunition, sinvolved Description Address  Name of JP  Date Time  Issued by me on the above date and at the section and the section an	

[Form 28 inserted: Gazette 16 Nov 2007 p. 5776-7.]

# Schedule 1A — Fees

[r. 2(1)]

[Heading inserted: SL 2022/65 r. 4.]

Item		Fee for	Fee		
			\$		
1.	App	lication for firearm licence (r. 3A, 3B) —			
	(a)	by person without such a licence	352		
	(b)	by person renewing such a licence	67		
	(c)	by person with such a licence wanting licence for 1 or more additional firearms	256		
2.	App	lication for firearm collector's licence (r. 3A, 3B) —			
	(a)	by person without such a licence	457		
	(b)	by person renewing such a licence	159		
	(c)	by person with such a licence wanting licence for 1 or more additional firearms	384		
3.	Application for corporate licence (r. 3A, 3B) —				
	(a)	by person without such a licence	502		
	(b)	by person renewing such a licence	147		
	(c)	by person with such a licence wanting licence for 1 or more additional firearms	384		
4.	App	lication for dealer's licence (r. 3A, 3B) —			
	(a)	by person without such a licence	804		
	(b)	by person renewing such a licence	364		
5.	App	lication for repairer's licence (r. 3A, 3B) —			
	(a)	by person without such a licence	804		
	(b)	by person renewing such a licence	364		
6.	App	lication for manufacturer's licence (r. 3A, 3B) —			
	(a)	by person without such a licence	804		

Item	Fee for	Fee		
		\$		
	(b) by person renewing such a licence	364		
7.	Application for shooting gallery licence (r. 3A, 3B) —			
	(a) by person without such a licence	576		
	(b) by person renewing such a licence	287		
8.	Application for ammunition collector's licence (r. 3A, 3B) —			
	(a) by person without such a licence	479		
	(b) by person renewing such a licence	193		
9.	Application for permit under s. 17 of the Act, per month or part of a month for which permit issued (r. 3A)	r 113		
10.	Extract of licence (r. 7A)	25		
11.	Duplicate of licence (r. 8)	36		
12.	Replacement for an extract of licence (r. 8)	25		
13.	Police custody of firearm, per year or part of year (r. 11)	174.90		

[Schedule 1A inserted: SL 2022/65 r. 4.]

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Any firearm of category A or B1

Any other rifle of category B that is chambered for any of the following cartridges:

5 mm	Remington Rim Fire Magnum
.17	Hornady magnum rim fire
.22	Rim fire
.22	Winchester magnum rim fire
.22	Hornet
.22	K Hornet
.218	Bee
.25	Rim fire
.25/20	WCF
.297/.230	Morris (Short and Long)
.297/.250	Rook rifle
.295	Rook rifle
.300	Rook rifle
.300	Sherwood
.30/30	Winchester
.310	Cadet rifle
.32	Rim fire
.32/20	Winchester
.32/40	Winchester
.35	Winchester (Self Loading)

.351	Winchester (Self Loading)
.357	Magnum
.38	Smith and Wesson Special
.38	Winchester
.38/40	Winchester
.38/55	Winchester and Ballard
.360	No. 2 Nitro express
.41	Smith and Wesson Magnum
.44	Rim fire
.44	Winchester
.44/40	Winchester
.450	Snider with 380 grain bullet and 55 grains of black powder
.450/.577	Martini solid and coiled
.44	Remington magnum
.45	Colt
.45	ACP
.45/70	Government
.577	Solid and coiled Snider
	Schedule 2 inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6841; amended: Gazette 2 Aug 2003 p. 3669.]

# Schedule 3 — Categories of firearms

[r. 6A]

## Division 1 — Category A

[Heading inserted: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4185.]

#### 1. **Category A firearms**

Each firearm described in the Table is a category A firearm.

## **Table**

<b>Sub-category</b>		Description	
	A1	an air rifle	
	A2.1	a single shot rim fire rifle	
	A2.2	a repeating rim fire rifle	
	A3.1	a single shot shotgun	
	A3.2	a shotgun with 2 or more barrels	
	A3.3	a repeating shotgun (bolt action)	
	A4.1	a combination firearm made up of a shotgun and a rifle each of which would individually be of category A	
	A4.2	a rifle combination made up of rifles each of which would individually be of category A	
	[Clause 1 amondo	J. Caratta 21 Aug 2010 m 4105, 5 April 2016	

[Clause 1 amended: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4185; 5 Apr 2016 p. 1027; 3 Feb 2017 p. 1114.]

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## Division 2 — Category B

[Heading inserted: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4185.]

## 2. Category B firearms

Each firearm described in the Table is a category B firearm.

### **Table**

Description	
ept a handgun)	B1
	B2.1
e	B2.2
	B2.3
ion) with a than 5 rounds	B2.4
category C or D fle at least one o of category B	B3.1
egory C or D, of which would	B3.2
ion) with a than 5 rounds category C or fle at least one of category B egory C or D,	B2.2 B2.3 B2.4 B3.1

[Clause 2 amended: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4185; 3 Feb 2017 p. 1114.]

## 3. Genuine need test for category B

To satisfy the genuine need test for category B the applicant must satisfy the Commissioner that a firearm of category A would be inadequate or unsuitable for the purpose for which the firearm is required.

[Clause 3 inserted: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4185.]

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## **Division 3** — Category C

[Heading inserted: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4186.]

#### 4. Category C firearms

Each firearm described in the Table is a category C firearm.

### **Table**

<b>Sub-category</b>	Description	
C1	a self loading rim fire rifle with a magazine capacity no more than 10 rounds	
C2	a self loading shotgun with a magazine capacity no more than 5 rounds	
C3	a pump action shotgun with a magazine capacity no more than 5 rounds	
C4.1	a combination firearm, not of category D, made up of a shotgun and a rifle at least one of which would individually be of category C	
C4.2	a rifle combination, not of category D, made up of rifles at least one of which would individually be of category C	

[Clause 4 amended: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4186.]

#### 5. Genuine need test for category C

To satisfy the genuine need test for category C the applicant must satisfy the Commissioner that a firearm of category A or B would be inadequate or unsuitable for the purpose for which the firearm is required.

[Clause 5 inserted: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4186.]

#### 6. Restrictions for category C

- (1) An approval or permit can be granted or a licence can be issued for a firearm of category C only if —
  - (a) it is for a shotgun and is granted or issued to a person who
    - (i) is described in section 11A(2)(a) of the Act; and

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(ii) requires the firearm for use as described in that provision for the purpose of training for, and participating in, an approved national or international shooting discipline;

or

- (b) it is for a rifle or shotgun, and is granted or issued to a person who
  - (i) is a primary producer or an approved nominee of a primary producer; and
  - (ii) requires the rifle or shotgun for the purpose of destroying vermin or stock as described in section 8(1)(i)(i) of the Act;

or

- (c) it is for a rifle or shotgun, and is granted or issued to a person who requires the rifle or shotgun for the purpose of destroying vermin or stock in the person's capacity as a professional shooter; or
- (d) it is granted or issued for the purposes of a firearm of that category forming part of a genuine firearm collection; or
- (e) it is granted or issued for Commonwealth or State government purposes.
- (2) An approval or permit can be granted or a licence can be issued in accordance with paragraph (b) of item (1) to a person who would, as a result, be authorised to use a rifle or shotgun of category C on land on which another person, as the holder of a licence, permit, or approval given in accordance with that paragraph, is already authorised to use a rifle or shotgun of that category only if the Commissioner considers it appropriate having regard to the size of the land and any other relevant factor.

[Clause 6 amended: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4186.]

## Division 4 — Category D

[Heading inserted: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4186.]

#### 7. **Category D firearms**

Each firearm described in the Table is a category D firearm.

### **Table**

<b>Sub-category</b>	Description	
D1	a self loading centre fire rifle designed or adapted for military purposes or a firearm that substantially duplicates such a firearm in design, function, or appearance	
D2	a self loading centre fire rifle that is not of sub-category D1	
D3	a self loading shotgun with a magazine capacity more than 5 rounds	
D4	a pump action shotgun with a magazine capacity more than 5 rounds	
D5	a self loading rim fire rifle with a magazine capacity more than 10 rounds	
D5.1	a repeating shotgun (lever action) with a magazine capacity more than 5 rounds	
D6.1	a combination firearm made up of a shotgun and a rifle at least one of which would individually be of category D	
D6.2	a rifle combination made up of rifles at least one of which would individually be of category D	

[Clause 7 amended: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4186; 3 Feb 2017 p. 1114.]

#### 8. Genuine need test for category D

To satisfy the genuine need test for category D the applicant must satisfy the Commissioner that the firearm is required for Commonwealth or State government purposes.

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[Clause 8 inserted: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4186.]

## **Division 5** — Category E

[Heading inserted: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4186.]

## 9. Category E firearms

Each firearm described in the Table is a category E firearm.

### **Table**

<b>Sub-category</b>	Description
E1	a cannon
E3	a line thrower
E4	a tranquilliser
E5	a paintball gun
E6	any firearm that is not of sub-category E1, E2, E3, E4, or E5, or category A, B, C, D, or H

[Clause 9 amended: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4187; 29 Nov 2016 p. 5323.]

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[Heading inserted: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4187.]

## 10. Category H firearms

Each firearm described in the Table is a category H firearm.

### **Table**

<b>Sub-category</b>	Description	
H1	a handgun (including an air pistol)	
H2	an underwater explosive device	
[Clause 10 amended: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4187.]		

#### 11. Genuine need test for category H

- (1) To satisfy the genuine need test for category H the applicant must satisfy the Commissioner
  - that a firearm of category A, B or C would be inadequate or unsuitable for the purpose for which the firearm is required;
  - (b) if the firearm required is of category H1 and is a revolver described in clause 12(7A)(b)
    - that the applicant is an individual referred to in clause 12(1)(ba) and is involved in mustering or yarding cattle that are grazed on the pastoral lease; and
    - that the firearm is required when mustering or (ii) varding the cattle to deal with any animals (whether cattle or not) that are dangerous to people.
- A person does not have a genuine need to acquire or possess a firearm of category H because it is required for
  - hunting; or (a)
  - (b) recreational shooting, unless the person is a person described in clause 12(1)(a) and requires the firearm for a purpose described in that paragraph; or
  - destroying stock or vermin in circumstances other than those (c) described in subclause (1)(b)(ii).

[Clause 11 amended: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4187-8.]

#### 12. Restrictions for category H

- (1) An approval or permit can be granted or a licence can be issued for a firearm of category H only if
  - subject to subclauses (2) to (6), it is for a firearm of category H1, and is granted or issued to a person described in section 11A(2)(a) of the Act who requires the firearm for use as described in that provision for the purpose of training for, and participating in, a club, interclub, State, national, or international shooting discipline; or

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- (ba) it is for a firearm of category H1, and is granted or issued to an individual who either
  - holds a pastoral lease, whether alone or with one or more other persons, on which cattle are grazed for commercial purposes; or
  - (ii) is nominated by the person or persons who hold such a pastoral lease and is approved by the Commissioner.

but not to more than one such person, for the purpose described in clause 11(1)(b)(ii); or

- (b) it is for a firearm of category H2, and is granted or issued to a person who requires the firearm for the purposes of professional or recreational diving; or
- (c) it is granted or issued to a person who requires it in the course of the person's occupation; or
- (d) it is granted or issued for the purposes of a firearm of that category forming part of a genuine firearm collection; or
- (e) it is granted or issued for Commonwealth or State government purposes.
- (2) An approval or permit may be granted, and a licence may be issued, to a person under subclause (1)(a) only if
  - (a) the person has been a member of an approved shooting club for at least 6 months; and
  - (b) if the person has been a member of an approved shooting club for less than 12 months, the approval, permit or licence does not apply to more than 2 handguns being either
    - (i) one .177 air pistol and one .22 calibre handgun; or
    - (ii) one .177 air pistol and one centre fire handgun;

and

(c) the person has satisfactorily completed an approved firearm safety training course while being a member of the shooting club.

- Subject to subclause (5), an approval or permit may be granted, and a licence may be issued, to a person under subclause (1)(a) only if it applies to a handgun
  - that has a calibre of .45 or less; and
  - that is not capable of firing more than 10 rounds without (b) being reloaded; and
  - (c) that has a barrel length 120 mm or more in the case a semi-automatic handgun and 100 mm or more in any other case, unless the Commissioner is satisfied that
    - the handgun has been specially designed for target shooting; and
    - (ii) the design does not make the handgun easier to conceal than a handgun that has a barrel length of 120 mm or 100 mm, as the case requires.
- Subject to subclause (5), an approval or permit may be granted, and a licence may be issued, to a person under subclause (1)(a) in relation to a handgun that has a calibre greater than .38 but not greater than .45 only if the approval, permit or licence is subject to the condition that the handgun must not be used except in either
  - the shooting discipline known as "Metallic Silhouette"; or (a)
  - the shooting discipline known as "Western Action" or (b) "Single Action".
- Subclauses (3) and (4) do not apply to a muzzle loading handgun or a cap and ball percussion fired handgun.
- An approval or permit may be granted, and a licence may be issued, to a person under subclause (1)(a) only if it is subject to the condition that
  - if the approval, permit or licence relates to one or more (a) handguns in a single discipline — the licensee must use one of those handguns in at least 6 shooting competitions organised by the club for the discipline on different days in each year; or
  - if the approval, permit or licence relates to at least one (b) handgun in each of 2 or more disciplines — the licensee must use a handgun from each discipline in at least 4 shooting

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competitions organised by the club for the discipline on different days in each year.

- (7A) Under subclause (1)(ba) one individual cannot be granted an approval or permit or issued a licence
  - (a) for more than one firearm of category H1; or
  - (b) for a firearm of category H1 other than one that
    - (i) is a revolver; and
    - (ii) has a calibre of 0.38 or more and not more than 0.45; and
    - (iii) has a barrel length of 100 mm or more;

or

- (c) unless it is subject to a condition that the firearm must not be used except on a pastoral lease.
- (7B) Under subclause (1)(ba)(ii) a person who holds 2 or more pastoral leases may nominate one individual for each lease and may nominate the same individual for more than one lease.
  - (7) In this clause —

### approved means —

- (a) approved by the Commissioner; or
- (b) approved in another State or Territory under a law of that State or Territory corresponding to this clause;

### barrel length in relation to a handgun means —

- (a) in the case of a revolver the distance from the muzzle of the barrel to the breach end immediately in front of the cylinder; and
- (b) in any other case the distance from the muzzle of the barrel to the point of the breach face (including the chamber), measured with the top slide (if any) in the closed position;

### pastoral lease means, as the case requires —

(a) a pastoral lease of Crown land granted under the *Land Administration Act 1997* section 101 or continued under section 143 of that Act; or

the land to which such a lease applies.

[Clause 12 amended: Gazette 31 Aug 2010 p. 4188-9.]

[Schedule 3 inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6842-6; amended: Gazette 24 Sep 1997 p. 5367; 12 Aug 2003 p. 3670-1; 24 Dec 2004 p. 6268; 6 Nov 2009 p. 4445; 31 Aug 2010 p. 4185-9.]

# Schedule 4 — Specifications for storage cabinets or containers

[Heading inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6847.]

[r. 11A(2)]

#### 1. Construction

- (1) The cabinet or container is to be constructed of mild steel that is 2 mm thick.
- (2) A joint between 2 faces that is butt welded is to have a continuous weld along the full length of the joint.
- A joint where the edge of one face is folded over the edge of another (3) face is to be stitch welded, with welds of at least 20 mm in length at intervals of not more than 100 mm between welds.
- Spot welding is not to be used on the joints between faces. (4)
- The cabinet or container is to be so designed that no firearm or (5) ammunition within it can be removed from it while it is locked.
- (6) In this clause -

face means a side, the top, or the bottom, of the cabinet or container.

[Clause 1 inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6847.]

#### 2. **Doors**

- (1) Doors are to be recessed into the surrounding frame with margins of not more than 4 mm.
- (2) Each edge of the door and door frame is to be internally supported and have a return of at least 10 mm.
- (3) The cabinet or container is to have an internal stop of at least 10 mm against which each edge of the door, other than the hinged edge, closes.
- (4) The supports and stops required by subclauses (2) and (3) are to be welded at the corners.

[Clause 2 inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6847.]

#### **3. Hinging mechanisms**

- (1) Hinge protection is to be provided in such a way that, if the hinges are removed, the door of the cabinet or container remains in place and locked.
- (2) If the hinged edge of the door is not longer than 1 m, 2 hinges are required on it, and if it is longer than 1 m, an additional hinge is required for each additional 500 mm or part thereof.
- If 2 hinges are required, the distance between them is to be not less (3) than one-third of the length of the hinged edge.
- If more than 2 hinges are required the distance between adjacent (4) hinges is to be the same and that is also to be the distance from each of the outermost hinges to the nearest end of the hinged edge.
- If a spindle is used instead of hinges, it is to extend the full length of (5) the hinged edge of the door and is to be attached to the door by welds the number and placement of which comply with the requirements of subclauses (2), (3), and (4) for the number and placement of hinges.
- (6) If, instead of using hinges, the door swings on a spindle or on pivots not extending the full length of the hinged edge of the door, the cabinet or container is to incorporate a return protecting the hinged edge, along its full length, against the use of a jemmy.

[Clause 3 inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6847-8.]

#### 4. Locks and locking points

- If the swinging edge of the door is not longer than 500 mm, one lock (1) is required with a locking point half way along that edge.
- (2) If the swinging edge is longer than 500 mm but not longer than 1.5 m—
  - 2 locks are required each with a separate locking point along the swinging edge; and
  - the distance between the 2 locking points is to be not less (b) than one-third of the length of the swinging edge.
- (3) If the swinging edge is longer than 1.5 m
  - for each additional 500 mm or part thereof there is to be an additional lock with a separate locking point along the swinging edge; and

- the distance between adjacent locking points is to be the same and that is also to be the distance from each of the outermost locking points to the nearest end of the swinging edge.
- **(4)** It is sufficient compliance with subclause (2) if, when the swinging edge is longer than 500 mm but not longer than 1.5 m, there is one lock with at least 3 separate locking points.
- (5) Each lock is to have a 5 pin mechanism that deadlocks the bolt in the locked position until it is properly unlocked.
- (6) If the locking bolt is designed to be released by a handle or lever, the design is to be such that, if the handle or lever is forcibly removed while the door is locked, the bolt remains in the locked position.
- The cabinet or container is to be fitted with a protective structure to (7) guard against the forcible removal of any lock.
- (8) In this clause —

*locking point* means the point at which the bolt locks the door to the cabinet or container, preventing the door from opening;

swinging edge means the edge of the door opposite the hinged edge.

[Clause 4 inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6848-9.]

#### 5. **Anchoring**

- The cabinet or container is to be securely anchored from the inside at (1) 2 points on each of 2 separate surfaces to 2 immovable structural surfaces by means of 8 mm x 75 mm masonry fixing bolts or coach screws, as is appropriate.
- At each anchor point the cabinet or container is to be reinforced with (2) a 40 mm x 40 mm x 2 mm metal plate, or a 40 mm x 2 mm metal washer, fitted between the surface of the cabinet or container and the head of the bolt or coach screw.

[Clause 5 inserted: Gazette 6 Dec 1996 p. 6849.]

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# **Compilation table**

Citation	Published	Commencement
Firearms Regulations 1974	29 Mar 1974 p. 1056-76	1 Jul 1974 (see r. 1 and <i>Gazette</i> 29 Mar 1974 p. 1027)
Firearms Regulations 1976	11 Feb 1977 p. 428	11 Feb 1977
Firearms (Prohibition) Regulations 1977	22 Jul 1977 p. 2358-9	22 Jul 1977
Untitled regulations	14 Oct 1977 p. 3674	14 Oct 1977
Untitled regulations	13 Jan 1978 p. 121-4	13 Jan 1978
Untitled regulations	17 Mar 1978 p. 801	17 Mar 1978
Untitled regulations	26 May 1978 p. 1617	26 May 1978
Untitled regulations	26 May 1978 p. 1617-19	26 May 1978
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Untitled regulations	20 Apr 1979 p. 1051	20 Apr 1979
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Firearms Amendment Regulations 1981	24 Jul 1981 p. 3070-3	24 Jul 1981 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 24 Jul 1981 p. 3060)
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1981	25 Sep 1981 p. 4094-5	1 Oct 1981 (see r. 2)
Firearms Amendment Regulations 1982	20 Aug 1982 p. 3268-9	1 Oct 1982 (see r. 2)
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Firearms Amendment Regulations 1985	27 Sep 1985 p. 3810	27 Sep 1985
Firearms Amendment Regulations 1986	26 Sep 1986 p. 3687-8	1 Oct 1986 (see r. 2)
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Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 4) 1988	19 Aug 1988 p. 2914-15	19 Aug 1988
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 5) 1988	21 Oct 1988 p. 4241	21 Oct 1988
Firearms Amendment Regulations 1989	23 Jun 1989 p. 1807-8	23 Jun 1989
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 1989	8 Sep 1989 p. 3173-4	1 Oct 1989 (see r. 2)
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1989	29 Sep 1989 p. 3672-6	29 Sep 1989
Firearms Amendment Regulations 1990	7 Sep 1990 p. 4698-9	1 Oct 1990 (see r. 2)
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1991	30 Aug 1991 p. 4595-6	30 Aug 1991
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Firearms Amendment Regulations 1992	26 Jun 1992 p. 2796-7	1 Jul 1992 (see r. 2)
Firearms Amendment Regulations 1993	5 Mar 1993 p. 1489	5 Mar 1993
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1993	24 Sep 1993 p. 5291-2	1 Oct 1993 (see r. 2)
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1994	16 Sep 1994 p. 4794-5	1 Oct 1994 (see r. 2)
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Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1998	12 Jun 1998 p. 3198-9	1 Jul 1998 (see r. 2)
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Firearms Amendment Regulations 1999	30 Jun 1999 p. 2861-2	1 Jul 1999 (see r. 2)
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2000	30 Jun 2000 p. 3427-9	1 Jul 2000 (see r. 2)
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2000	28 Jul 2000 p. 4015-18	28 Jul 2000
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Firearms Amendment Regulations 2003	20 Jun 2003 p. 2243-5	1 Jul 2003 (see r. 2)
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2003	12 Aug 2003 p. 3665-71	12 Aug 2003
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2004	29 Jun 2004 p. 2539-41	1 Jul 2004 (see r. 2)
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2004	24 Dec 2004 p. 6267-8	1 Jan 2005 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 24 Dec 2004 p. 6265)
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 4) 2004	24 Dec 2004 p. 6269	1 Feb 2005 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 24 Dec 2004 p. 6265)
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2004	30 Dec 2004 p. 6974	1 Jan 2005 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 31 Dec 2004 p. 7130)
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Firearms Amendment Regulations 2005	1 Jul 2005 p. 3001-3	1 Jul 2005 (see r. 2)
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2005	25 Oct 2005 p. 4804	25 Oct 2005
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2006	27 Jun 2006 p. 2299-301	1 Jul 2006 (see r. 2)
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2006	12 Jan 2007 p. 53-4	12 Jan 2007
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2007	29 Jun 2007 p. 3196-8	r. 1 and 2: 29 Jun 2007 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 1 Jul 2007 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2007	16 Nov 2007 p. 5721-78	r. 1 and 2: 16 Nov 2007 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 17 Nov 2007 (see r. 2(b))

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Firearms Amendment Regulations 2009	23 Jun 2009 p. 2493-4	r. 1 and 2: 23 Jun 2009 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 1 Jul 2009 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2009	17 Jul 2009 p. 2881-2	r. 1 and 2: 17 Jul 2009 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 18 Jul 2009 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 4) 2009	6 Nov 2009 p. 4417-45	r. 1 and 2: 6 Nov 2009 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 12 Nov 2009 (see r. 2(b))
<b>Reprint 7: The </b> <i>Firearms Regulation</i> : listed above)	s <i>1974</i> as at 19 F	eb 2010 (includes amendments
Firearms Amendment (Manufacture of Frangible Ammunition) Regulations 2010	23 Apr 2010 p. 1523-5	r. 1 and 2: 23 Apr 2010 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 24 Apr 2010 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment (Fees) Regulations 2010	18 Jun 2010 p. 2695-6	r. 1 and 2: 18 Jun 2010 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 1 Jul 2010 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2010	31 Aug 2010 p. 4184-9	r. 1 and 2: 31 Aug 2010 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 1 Sep 2010 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2011	4 Feb 2011 p. 396-7	r. 1 and 2: 4 Feb 2011 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 5 Feb 2011 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2011	10 Jun 2011 p. 2106-8	r. 1 and 2: 10 Jun 2011 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 1 Jul 2011 (see r. 2(b))

Citation	Published	Commencement
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2011	5 Jul 2011 p. 2826-33	r. 1 and 2: 5 Jul 2011 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 6 Jul 2011 (see r. 2(b))
<b>Reprint 8: The </b> <i>Firearms Regulations</i> listed above)	<i>1974</i> as at 16 Se	ep 2011 (includes amendments
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2012	15 Jun 2012 p. 2535-6	r. 1 and 2: 15 Jun 2012 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 1 Jul 2012 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2013	28 Jun 2013 p. 2787-8	r. 1 and 2: 28 Jun 2013 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 1 Jul 2013 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2014	17 Jun 2014 p. 1990-2	r. 1 and 2: 17 Jun 2014 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 1 Jul 2014 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2015	2 Jun 2015 p. 1947-8	r. 1 and 2: 2 Jun 2015 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 1 Jul 2015 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2015	21 Jul 2015 p. 2939	r. 1 and 2: 21 Jul 2015 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 22 Jul 2015 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2016	5 Apr 2016 p. 1025-7	r. 1 and 2: 5 Apr 2016 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 6 Apr 2016 (see r. 2(b))
Police Regulations Amendment (Fees and Charges) Regulations 2016 Pt. 2	14 Jun 2016 p. 1826-33	1 Jul 2016 (see r. 2(b))
<b>Reprint 9: The </b> <i>Firearms Regulations a</i> above)	1974 as at 5 Aug	2016 (includes amendments listed
Police Regulations Amendment (Captive Bolt Guns) Regulations 2016 Pt. 2	29 Nov 2016 p. 5322-3	30 Nov 2016 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2017	3 Feb 2017 p. 1113-14	r. 1 and 2: 3 Feb 2017 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 4 Feb 2017 (see r. 2(b))
Police Regulations Amendment (Fees and Charges) Regulations 2017 Pt. 2	27 Jun 2017 p. 3440-8	1 Jul 2017 (see r. 2(b))

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Police Regulations Amendment (Fees and Charges) Regulations 2018 Pt. 2	26 Jun 2018 p. 2392-400	1 Jul 2018 (see r. 2(b))
Police Regulations Amendment (Fees and Charges) Regulations 2019 Pt. 2	21 Jun 2019 p. 2141-50	1 Jul 2019 (see r. 2(b))
Police Regulations Amendment (Fees and Charges) Regulations 2020 Pt. 2	SL 2020/82 19 Jun 2020	1 Jul 2020 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2020	SL 2020/140 28 Aug 2020	r. 1 and 2: 28 Aug 2020 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 29 Aug 2020 (see r. 2(b))
Police Regulations Amendment (Procurement) Regulations 2020 Pt. 2	SL 2020/248 18 Dec 2020	1 Jun 2021 (see r. 2(b) and SL 2020/244 cl. 2(b))
Police Regulations Amendment (Fees and Charges) Regulations 2021 Pt. 2	SL 2021/106 29 Jun 2021	1 Jul 2021 (see r. 2(b))
Firearms Amendment Regulations 2022	SL 2022/40 25 Mar 2022	r. 1 and 2: 25 Mar 2022 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 26 Mar 2022 (see r. 2(b))
Police Regulations Amendment (Fees and Charges) Regulations 2022 Pt. 2	SL 2022/65 3 Jun 2022	1 Jul 2022 (see r. 2(b))

## Other notes

- The *Firearms Amendment Regulations 1996* r. 9(2) reads as follows:
  - (2) The notation "PR" endorsed on a licence or permit before the commencement of this regulation is to be regarded as if it were the notation "HR".

# **Defined terms**

[This is a list of terms defined and the provisions where they are defined.

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Defined term	Provision(s)
Act	2(1)
application	3BA(1)
approved	Sch. 3 cl. 12(7B)
authorised person	25A(1)
barrel length	Sch. 3 cl. 12(7B)
calibre	2(1)
category	2(1)
close associate	6C(2)
current firearm serviceability certificate	2(1)
face	Sch. 4 cl. 1(6)
fee	2(1)
firearm serviceability certificate	25A(1)
firearms safety test	2(1)
Form	2(1)
licence	20(1)
locking point	Sch. 4 cl. 4(8)
major firearm part	18(1a)
pastoral lease	Sch. 3 cl. 12(7B)
prescribed person	6F(1)
previous licence	3BA(2)(b)
relevant financial interest	6C(1)
relevant position	6C(1)
relevant power	6C(1)
reloaded ammunition	16(2)
revolving rifle	26B(1)
set	24(1)
swinging edge	Sch. 4 cl. 4(8)